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PAVING WORK IS ACCEPTED

TAX BILLS ARE ORDERED ON FIFTH AND WALNUT STREETS

CITY BALANCE $54,321

Report Of City Collector Shows Collections Of $4,352.67 During November.

Ordinances accepting the paving of Fifth street from the center line of Mulberry street to the Wabash Railroad right-of-way and of Walnut street from Seventh street to the south line of right-of-way of the Wabash Railroad were passed last night by the City Council at its regular monthly meeting.

The final estimates of cost, published Monday, were accepted, and tax bills were ordered drawn as follows:

Fifth Street.

Earl and Alfreda Tulloch, 66 feet, $349.92.

James E. and Mary F. Stewart, 66 feet, $349.92.

Harry C. Martin, 132 feet, $699.83.

John M. and Vernie L. Lockhart, 64 feet, $339.31.

Reuben and Mary L. Young, 68 feet, $360.52.

Charles E. Signs, 66 feet, $349.92.

Henry and Matilda Wilson, 66 feet, $349.92.

Ernest Glover and Charles W. Alexander, 128 feet, $678.62.

John N. Hiley, Jr., 128 feet, $678.62.

Gertrude Kelley, 50 feet, $265.09.

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Henrietta Smart, 100 feet, $530.18.

Heirs at law of Annis Palmer, deceased, 50 feet, $265.09.

Wabash Railway Co., 33.2 feet, $176.02.

Benjamin F. and Henrietta Smart, 66 feet, $349.92.

Henrietta Smart, 92 feet, $487.74.

Benjamin F. and Henrietta Smart, 80 feet, $424.14.

Benjamin F. and Henrietta Smart, 45.2 feet, $239.64.

Walnut Street.

Margaret W. Davison, 138 feet, $642.93.

C. B. Yeo, Orville Carmichael under contract of purchase, 72 feet, $335.44.

Louis Anderson, 66 feet, $307.50.

Lane Douglas, King City, Mo., 66 feet, $307.50.

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Anna V. Beattie, 66 feet, $307.49.

Belle Nusbaum, 66 feet, $307.49.

Louis Anderson, 116 feet, $540.43.

Flossie Goff Miller, 58 feet, $270.22.

Edward R. Pyles, 58 feet, $270.22.

Hiram Day and Getha Conrad, 66 feet, $307.50.

Lizzie A. Hitt, 66 feet, $307.50.

Sylvester G. and Carrie Massie, 241 feet, $1,122.79.

John E. Costello, Katie Ryan and Mayme Sanders, 198 feet, $922.50.

John E. Costello, Katie Ryan and Mayme Sanders, 26 feet, $121.13.

Wabash Railway Co. 28.5 feet, $132.78.

Wabash Railway Co. 11.5 feet, $53.58.

The council granted the application of several of the property owners for permission to pay in five yearly installments.

City's Balance Is $54,321.

Mayor W. O. Garrett's report for November showed a balance of $54,321.73 in the various city funds. The balance in the water department increased from $28,024.87 to $30,658.70. The street fund grew from $985.34 to $1,075.29, the library fund from $1,883.53 to $2,247.35, and the general fund from $6,409.66 to $8,990.98.

The fund for payment of the first water bond principal increased from $4,281.12 to $4,968.94 and the first water bond interest fund from $1,862.89 to $2,000.45. The street lighting fund was increased by $343.14 and now contains $2,172.90. The street workers guarantee fund remained at $301.

The second water bond principal fund increased from $634.31 to $978.21 and the second water bond interest fund from $758.51 to $898.37. Petty cash decreased from $50 to $29.54.

Tax Collection Good.

The city collector's monthly report showed total collections of $4,352.67 in November, divided as follows:

General tax (current) $2,380.39; street lighting, $340.05; library tax, $340.05; first water bond principal, $680.11; first water bond interest, $136.01; second water bond principal, $340.05; second water bond interest $136.01.

Collection of $47.03 of 1924 taxes was reported also. The November tax collections were better than last year.

Police Judge W. L. Johnson and Chief of Police B. F. Dougan reported only three police court cases during the month, two for speeding and one for drunkenness. The fines totaled $15 and the costs $19.30. The collection of $2.65, the balance due on an August fine, also was reported.

Burt M. Rowley, fire chief, reported three fires, one on November 8 at the Roach cafe, another November 12 at the home of Doc Seals, 405 South Depot street, and the third November 24, an automobile on the west side of the square.

675 STUDENTS ARE ENROLLED

IS EXCLUSIVE OF CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC PUPILS.

A RECORD EXPECTED

Class Work Starts At College This Morning.—First Assembly Is Held Today.

The enrollment at the State Teachers College this afternoon was 675 persons. This is exclusive of those who matriculated for work in the conservatory of music. The enrollment figures will be larger than the above number, for there are several students who have not yet registered. A shortage in coupon books caused a delay in registration this morning. However receipts were given and the enrollment went on without the books.

Class work started at the College this morning. Most of the faculty members did not keep their classes full time, but assigned lessons for tomorrow and dismissed the students.

The first convocation of the student body for the winter quarter was held at 10 o'clock this morning. Charles R. Gardner, director of the conservatory of music, led in community singing; Burt W. Loomis, of the College faculty led the devotionals; and Uel W. Lamkin, president, made several announcements concerning College rules and regulations.

All applications for entrance examinations must be made by tomorrow and the examinations will be given on Saturday, Mr. Lamkin announced.

In speaking of the enrollment for this quarter, Mr. Lamkin said that it would be approximately the same as that of the fall quarter, which has just been completed.

When the rest of the regular students have enrolled, and when those who are taking conservatory of music have been added, the College enrollment will likely be larger than any winter quarter in the history of the school.

Last year the corresponding quarter, the total enrollment was 739; in 1923-24 it was 754; the year previous it was 556; in 1921-22 it was 440.

There will also be extension and correspondence students to be added to this quarter's total.

Two Airmen Killed When Plane Crashes

Disaster in Flight Over San Diego Costly—Ship Collides During Practice Flight.

San Diego, Dec. 2.—Capt. Harry Shepherd and Second Lieutenant, John Christian, both of the United States marine corps, were killed when their plane collided in the air during a practice flight over San Diego harbor today and fell into the bay near South San Diego.

Ferguson "Gets Back" at His Various Enemies

Husband Of Texas Governor Attacks Suits By Youthful Attorney-General Flays Highway Department.

Austin, Tex., Dec. 2.—Former "Gov. Jim" Ferguson, apex in the Texas political triangle, which involves highway suits by the state highway commission against road companies and the legislature's clamor for an extra session, "got back" at his enemies today with a statement attacking the suits of Dan Moody, youthful attorney-general, that have resulted in huge refunds to the state.

With Miriam A. Ferguson spending the day at her old home at Temple, the former governor, who was impeached eight years ago and who has been spending most of his time lately denying he was the guilding power of the administration of his wife, today flayed the highway department in true "Jim Ferguson style," those familiar with his past statements say.

25 WOMEN AT PLAN MEETING

IS ONE OF BEST IN HISTORY FLEETWOOD SAYS.

DISCUSSING PROJECT

Results of Consultation of 15 Club Representatives on Home Economics Announced Later.

Twenty-five women, representatives of fifteen community clubs over Nodaway County, attended a meeting at the Nodaway County Farm Bureau this afternoon for the purpose of planning for a major home economics project for this year.

Miss Fra Clark, home economics specialist from the College of Agriculture, met with the women and laid plans for the project, which is in household decoration and furnishing and kitchen improvement. The plans had not been completed at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon, so they will be announced later. The women who attended the meeting today will return and report to their clubs on the project.

According to J. Ross Fleetwood, county extension agent, the meeting today was one of the best that has been held in connection with community extension work.

This morning Miss Clark held individual conference with several of the representatives.

Those attending the meeting were: Mrs. L. E. Rogers, Herron Homemaking Circle; Mrs. George Hantz, Bloomfield Needlework Club; Mrs. J. C. Farrar and Mrs. Loren G. Hackett, Mt. Pleasant Industrial Art Club; Mrs. Elmer W. Johnson and Mary Brooks, Quitman Eastern Star Needle Club; Mrs. Marlin Harris, Hopkins Worth While Club; Mrs. Leman Worth, Hopkins Worth While Club.

Mrs. Arta Craven, Harmony; Mrs. Anna Gregory, Independence Industrial Club, Clearmont; Mrs. Charles H. Rice, Mrs. J. B. Clements, and Miss Dollie Clements, White Cloud Club, Maryville; Mrs. Milo Allison and Mrs. Joe Bird, Maple Grove Community Club; Mrs. L. O. Reaksecker, Rockford Community Club.

Mrs. Charles Birkenholz and Mrs. J. Newton Otis, Xenia Club; Mrs. E. N. Vansickle, High Prairie Community Club; Mrs. Lila Chesnut, Penn Grove Community Club; Mrs. Ralph H. Yates, M. M. Circle, Burlington Junction; Mrs. Herschel Houston and Mrs. L. C. Severs, Industrial Society, Burlington Junction; Mrs. C. N. Johnson and Mrs. Harry Wamsley, Thursday Afternoon Progressive Club.

Body Will Arrive Here This Evening

Loren Womack Was Killed in Lincoln by Explosion of Air Pressure Tank —Burial at Ravenwood.

According to a Lincoln, Neb., dispatch in today's Omaha World-Herald, Loren Womack, formerly of Maryville, who was killed in an air explosion at the plant of the Westover Steel Works near Lincoln yesterday noon, was blown seventy-five feet by the force of the explosion.

Roy Holland, another worker at the plant, suffered a fractured right leg and internal injuries and Fred Moran, also employed at the plant, a fractured pelvis and internal injuries. Another worker, Roy Gamble, was slightly injured about the head.

The explosion was caused by an excess air pressure which was being used to find a leak in a large tank. Womack, the foreman of the plant, was working at the end of the tank when the end was blown out. The tank was moved fifteen feet by the force of the blast. Moran who was helping Womack in his work was blown fifteen feet from his position.

The body of Womack will arrive in Maryville tonight. It will be accompanied by Mrs. Womack and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Johnson of Maryville, who went to Lincoln yesterday after news of the accident was received here. According to word received today from Mr. Johnson, Womack's body was not badly mangled.

Herman and Gleason Womack, of near Ravenwood, brothers of Loren Womack, accompanied by Hugh Armstrong and J. T. Schoonover, drove to Lincoln yesterday evening and are expected back this afternoon.

The burial will probably take place at Ravenwood tomorrow afternoon.

Roland Wray went to St. Joseph today on business.

Mrs. Ira Moore Dies in Portland Yesterday

Death Due to Apoplexy—Mother of I. V. Moore of Harmony Neighborhood—Funeral Tomorrow

I. V. Moore of the Harmony neighborhood has received word of the death of his mother, Mrs. Ira Moore, which occurred yesterday at Portland, Ore. Death was due to apoplexy. Funeral services will take place tomorrow at Portland.

Besides the son in Nodaway County, Mrs. Moore is survived by the following children: H. W. Moore, Mrs. Cecelia Rippen, Mrs. Allie Neal and Mrs. Edna Rethefsen, all of Portland; and Claude Moore of Salt Lake City, Utah.

Mrs. Moore was born June, 1852, in Virginia. The family moved to Portland after the death of Mr. Moore about thirty years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Moore donated the land where the Harmony church and parsonage now stand. I. V. Moore and family occupy the old home place in the Harmony neighborhood.

TO GRADUATE 20 AT M. H. S.

ELEVEN BOYS AND NINE GIRLS TO FINISH JANUARY 15.

ENTIRE CLASS GOES

No Advanced Senior Now Below Passing, According To L. L. St. Clair, Principal.

Eleven boys and nine girls will be graduated from the Maryville High School January 15, L. L. St. Clair, principal, made known today from his office after going over the record books of the grades of advanced seniors for work in the last twelve weeks, which shows that all of the members of the class are doing passing work.

The baccalaureate sermon will be held on Sunday evening, January 10, at one of the protestant churches, to be decided upon as plans of the graduation are made within the next few weeks. Commencement exercises will be held on the evening of Friday, January 15.

Those who will be graduated, provided they maintain their present standard, are as follows:

Alice Aley, Donald Aley, Donald Bailey, Arthur Cain, Kathryn Chandler, Porterfield Cockayne, Gertrude Curfman, Virginia Curnutt, Forest Eckert, Thomas Eckert, Ruth England, Hildred Fitz, Jack Hartness, Eva Margaret Frank, Forrest Howland, Bessie Maud Murray, LaVelle Smith, Charles Stanfield, Maurice Strong, Mildred Wood.

The president of the advanced senior class is Donald Aley; vice-president, Gertrude Curfman; secretary, Ruth England. Miss Anna Crane is the sponsor of the class.

Empire Fire Loss Is More Than $14,000

Remodeling Work Will Start After Insurance Adjusters Have Made Settlement, Kuchs Says.

Total damage in the Empire Theater fire yesterday afternoon today is estimated at between $14,000 and $15,000.

Albert Kuchs estimates his loss to the building and contents between $6,000 and $7,000. Ray L. Harrison, manager of the Maryville Electric light & Power Co. office, estimates his company's loss at approximately $8,000.

The origin of the fire is still unknown. The blaze started in the basement about 12:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and the flames spread rapidly. The firemen had extinguished the blaze shortly before 4 o'clock. In recognition of the services of the fire department, R. Kuchs today gave Burt M. Rowley, fire chief, a check for $50, which will be applied on the firemen's fund.

Remodeling work on the building will start as soon as the insurance adjusters have made settlement, Albert Kuchs said this morning.

H. F. Boehner, of Lincoln, assistant general manager, C. A. Nash of Davenport, Ia., sales manager, and Stanley Taber of Lincoln, division sales manager, of the United Power Co., which owns the Maryville Electric Light & Power Co., came to Maryville this morning. With Mr. Harrison, the local manager, they were seeking a new location today but at press time no decision had been announced as to their new location.

During the next few weeks, the light company office will be kept in the theater building.

FINE MEETING AT CHAMPAIGN

SCHOOL DEMONSTRATION THE BEST YET HELD.

PARENTS INTERESTED

Several Come and Stay All Day—Pupils From Other Schools Present Also.

What was declared the best school demonstration yet held in the county was conducted yesterday at Champaign school, one mile north of Harmony, by County Superintendent Leslie G. Somerville and J. C. Godbey, state rural school inspector.

The meeting was remarkable for the number of patrons who came in the morning and remained the entire day, evidencing their interest in what the schools were doing. The teaching was pronounced "truly outstanding" and the demonstration was followed by a profitable conference. At noon the women of the Harmony neighborhood served an excellent dinner.

"The school spirit was fine and Superintendent Lewis and the Harmony people are to be commended on the splendid way in which the meeting was made a success," said Mr. Somerville.

The demonstration was attended not only by teachers and patrons but also by a number of pupils from other schools. The attendance of teachers was more than 100 per cent, several coming who had not been originally assigned to the meeting at Champaign.

The teachers present were Misses Edna Nicola, Doris Hook, Beulah M. Russell, Opal Churchill, Lucile Collins, Alice Lee Morin, Cecile Collins, Grace Petty, Doris McKee, Esther Thompson, Doris DeWitt, Marian Nicholson, Jessie Bryant, Zora Seyster, Letha Lawson, Dola Holmes, Mary Baker, Dorothy Hill, Opal Ingram, Mertie Hutcheson, Ruth Barnes, Lena Foland and Mattie Wyatt, Mrs. Iva Christensen, Mrs. O. K. Busby, Mrs. Stella Lawson, Mrs. Margie Morris, Mrs. Sylvia Adcock, Harry Burr, L. L. King, Gerald Carroll and Cecil Brown.

The patrons who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Ned Garrett, the Rev. and Mrs. Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Porter, Mrs. James Flannery, Mrs. John Edwards, Mrs. S. A. Coffelt, Mrs. L. E. Murray, Mrs. Edna Besco, Mrs. Austin Strader, Mrs. Floyd Evans, Mrs. B. K. Lewis, Mrs. R. V. Mckee, Mrs. Tom Manning, Mrs. Ova Heflin, Mrs. M. A. Lawson, Mrs. W. I. Lewis, Miss Edith Cramer, Orville Busby, J. C. Godbey, Superintendent Somerville and Superintendent W. I. Lewis.

The visiting pupils were: Pioneer—Orville and Marie Underwood, George Edwards John Marshall Greene and Jack Barrock.

Excelsior: Darrel Ferguson, Beryl Besco, John F. Manning, Dorthea Ferguson, Audrey Brown, Pauline Flannery, and Mary Gregory.

Common Sense: Edwin Garrett, Robert Garrett, Cowan Heflin, Roland Krugh and Claudell Heflin.

Myrtle Tree: Marvin Parent, Albert Butler, Delbert Dowden, Willard Dowden, Robert Taylor and Vincent Harris.

Today's meeting is being held at Guilford. Tomorrow the demonstrations will be conducted at Davis School and Friday at Glendale.

Retroactive State Tax Provision Is Removed

House Ways and Means Committee Grants Request Of Treasury Regarding Amount of Reduction.

Washington, Dec. 2.—Granting the wishes of the treasury department, the House Ways and Means committee today struck from the new revenue bill, the retroactive state tax which would have applied the 1921 lower rates to 1924 estate taxes. The action followed a report by the treasury that the provisions would have raised the total tax reduction in the bill above the "margin of safety."

With the retroactive feature out of the measure, the total reduction in the bill now is about 328 million dollars, Representative Green, Republican of Iowa, chairman of the committee, declared.

Injured In Fall.

Henry Crane of Clearmont was injured about 11 o'clock last night when thrown from a pony and was brought to St. Francis Hospital this morning for an X-ray. His back and hip were injured.

Chile's Action Doesn't Please U. S. Officials

Filing Of Protest Over Border Settlement Ires Administration But Comment Is Withheld.

Washington, Dec. 2.—The action of Chile in filing with the League of Nations a protest against General John J. Pershing's conduct of the arbitration proceedings in the Tacna-Aricka border dispute both surprised and disconcerted administration officials here today.

Because of the delicacy of the situation, comment was withheld, but it was apparent officials were distinctly displeased with Chile's action.

DAWES PLAN IS UNDER FIRE

VICE-PRESIDENT'S THREAT GETS WARM RECEPTION.

POLITICS FORGOTTEN

Republicans, Insurgents and Democrats Join In Fight Against President Officer's Proposal.

Washington, Dec. 2.—The threat of Gen. Charles G. Dawes to take the stump against Senators of all political faiths if they fight his proposal for a revision of Senatorial rules met with a warm reception today from returning Senators.

Republicans, insurgents and Democrats dropped their little private rows to join in "bawling out" the vice-president.

The only portion of the vice-president's campaign, which met with favor, was his plea for non-partisan action and the Senators were non-partisan in denouncing Dawes, his plan and his proposed invasion of the Senatorial primaries.

The Democratic temper toward the vice-president was demonstrated by Senator T. H. Caraway, Democrat of Arkansas, who said:

"Senators certainly will be impressed with the proposal of the presiding officer, who did not know enough to organize the Senate properly and who could not awake long enough to vote."

Chicago, Dec. 2.—Declaring that "rather gross" misrepresentations of a speech he made Monday to a gathering of Illinois Republican women had given his political enemies a chance to put him in a false light, Charles G. Dawes, vice-president, declared today that he did not propose to become embroiled in a fight that "might affect my politics."

Locarno Treaty Paves Way for New Parley

Enforcement of Terms of Versailles Treaty May Be Relaxed as Result of Peace Program

London, Dec. 2—The signature of the Locarno treaty has opened the way for new negotiations between the allies and Germany relative to relaxing enforcement of the Versailles treaty, it was learned today.

M. Briand returned to France today and has before him several proposals made by the Germans and it is probable negotiations opened here will be continued through diplomatic channels.

O. B. C. Delegates in Report This Morning

Objects For Campaign Against Immorality To Be Discussed at Hi-Y Meeting Next Week.

The delegates of the Hi-Y Club and of the various protestant churches of the Older Boys Conference at Chillicothe the last week, made reports of the good derived from the sessions and lectures to the Hi-Y Club of the Maryville High School in regular session this morning.

Next week the delegates will outline some definite objects which they gained from the conference, which will be discussed and made ready for a campaign against immorality. The purpose of the club is: To create and maintain, throughout the school and community, high standards of Christian character. The club proposes to weaken the existence of certain codes of students, who hinder the development of clean school life.

Guests at Miller Home.

Mrs. G. W. Chapman and Mrs. J. S. Beach of Farragut, Ia., have been guests at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. E. R. Miller, and family, since Sunday.

SAYS FLIERS WANT CHANGE

OPPOSE PRESENT AIR POLICY, WITNESS TESTIFIES.

REBUKE FOR COUNSELS

Commander Whiting Says U. S. Will Soon Have Best Airplane Carriers in World.

Washington, Dec. 2.—The overwhelming sentiment of the naval air men is against present air policies, Commander Kenneth Whiting, one of the navy's star witnesses against Col. William Mitchell, admitted today during a grilling cross-examination during the court-martial proceedings.

Whiting asserted only a handfull of naval fliers favored the present policy.

"The present policy is not designed to bring out the best work of the personnel," Whiting testified.

Washington, Dec. 2.—A sharp rebuke to counsel for both sides to refrain from constant bickering and injecting personalities in the Col. William Mitchell trial was delivered today by Maj.-Gen. Robert Howze, president of the court.

Howze's warning was called forth as a result of the protest of Representative Reid, Mitchell's counsel, against remarks by Maj.-Gen. William Graves, a member of the court.

Reid unsuseccfully attempted to force Graves from the court.

When the trial was resumed, Commander Kenneth Whiting of the navy took the stand. Whiting, a prosecution witness, asserted the United States would have the best airplane carriers in the world when the Lexington and Saratoga were completed.

Start Work Repairing Coastal Storm Damage

Loss In Florida Sections Not Expected To Exceed Three Million—Other States Preparing.

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 2.—Residents of Florida coastal cities started today to repair the damage wrought by the severe rain and wind storm which swept Florida for two days.

Conservative estimates today indicated that the damage to all sections affected will not exceed three million dollars.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 2.—With ample warning of the great tropical disturbance which swept the Florida peninsula and wrought havoc along the southern Atlantic coast, the middle Atlantic coast was prepared today for the hurricane that arrived during the night and is increasing in fury as the day advances.

Early today the wind had attained a velocity of forty-eight miles an hour at Cape Henry and was increasing hourly.

Morrow Report Today Laid Before Coolidge

Numerous Recommendations for Improvement of Aircraft In All Uses Are Made.

Washington, Dec. 2.—The Morrow aircraft report, containing the result of the findings of the President's personally ordered investigation into the aircraft controversy, was laid before President Coolidge at the White House today.

While denying many allegations made by Col. William Mitchell in his flaming attacks on the nation's air defense the report makes numerous recommendations for improvement of aircraft in military, naval and commercial uses.

The Morrow board turned down flatly Colonel Mitchell's demand for a separate air service, distinct from the war and navy departments.

Escaped Boy Prisoner Caught at State Capital

Boonville, Mo., Dec. 2.—Carl Smith, 18, originally of Charleston, Va., but sent to the Missouri Reform School and who escaped last Monday morning, was found late yesterday in Jefferson City and is being returned to Boonville. The boy was picked up by Missouri Pacific detectives.

The Weather

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; rising temperature tonight, lowest about 44; moderate temperature Thursday.

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FACTS AND MEN.

It is a common trait among men to resent a fact when it conflicts with our preconceived notions. We cherish old ideas as we keep old clothes that ought to be thrown away and we do not thank the one who takes them from us. On the other hand we sometimes become converted to a new idea and come to cherish it until we convince ourselves that it was ours from the beginning.

In politics and religion belief is generally a matter of inheritance rather than conviction. We receive our affiliation with a church or a political party largely as a family legacy and too often, when some one readjusts his belief to fit his own rule of reason, we are disposed to regard him as challenging the foundations of civilization and the product of a restless and dangerous age.

It is however a wholesome sign of progress and intellectual health when either young or old are disposed to ask questions, accumulate information, and reason things out for themselves. There may be as great a divergence of opinion as otherwise because it is not intended in the human equation that all men should agree on all things. The man who has studied both sides of a question however, is likely to be much fairer and much more liberal because, in his processes of actual thought, he finds that in most all cases there are two sides. Moderation, toleration of and respect for one another's judgmeat is good for the people in all communities and independent thinking usually leads to greater liberality and to greater respect for one another and to greater co-operation among men.

Department Will Urge Monument for Soldier

Congress Will Be Requested to Apropriate $50,000 in Order to Beautify Famous Spot.

By Charles P. Stewart.
NEA Service Writer.

Washington.—Would a monument add to or detract from the beauty and impressiveness of the spot where the unknown soldier rests The War Department wants a monument and will ask Congress for $50,000 to erect one. This request will meet opposition—just how much is uncertain until the question actually comes up—on the ground that the unadorned slab which marks his grave is the most appropriate memorial to the unknown. Nobody disputes his title to the highest honors the country can pay. The difference of opinion relates only to the manner of paying them.

Congressional investigations are noted for the infrequency with which they achieve any worth-while results. It remained, however, for Vice Chairman E. C. Plummer of the United States Shipping Board to describe the futility of such inquiries, along at least one line, with the maximum of crispness and compactness of style.

"For 56 years," said Plummer, addressing the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association at Miami recently, "Congress has been investigating the problem of an American merchant marine. The printed matter that has resulted from these efforts would fill a good sized room. Yet not a single important fact has been established that did not appear in the modest volume presented by the Lynch commission of 1869."

Plummer boils the essential part even of the Lynch report down to a 100-word paragraph urging a ship subsidy.

With the recent dismissal of the last of its war fraud indictments the government completed a perfect score. One hundred per cent of its war graft prosecutions have been lost.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"That new boy wanted to play horse thief with us an' then he made out like his mother told him he mustn't ever be hun."

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What Other Editors Say

THE BLOC SYSTEM IN ACTION.

The reason for the instability of the French government is the absence of a majority for any party in the chamber of deputies. There are 590 members. The parties represented read like a trade catalogue. There are 11 Conservatives, 137 Republican Entente, 92 Left Republicans, 34 National Radicals, 127 Radical Socialists, 59 Independent Socialists, 101 Unified Socialists, 29 Communists. These ordinarily group themselves in three main divisions, which get their names from the position of their seats in the old Palais Bourbon, where the sessions are held. There is the conservative Right with about 240 members, the moderate Center with 200 and the radical Left with 130.

Painleve governed by a Left bloc, made up of radicals and Socialists. In the summer the Socialists pulled out and Painleve had to turn to the Right for the votes necessary to carry on. It was an unstable bloc and when it fell to pieces a few days ago, the premier resigned.

The 2-party system in the United States has its disadvantages. But at least it provides a certain stability to the government that is lacking when the discordant elements in a bloc must be held together by log rolling concessions.

In France the bloc system has developed into government by a minority.—Kansas City Times.

Get Into Debt and Prosper.

(Jack Blanton, Monroe County, (Mo.) Appeal):

Honestly, this matter of going in debt is a bit bewildering. While most of us are raising both hands and voices in solemn warning against it we are confronted with the fact that about the only business men, towns, cities and corporations that are enjoying prosperity are the ones who are borrowing money or floating bond issues. This, of course, is not because of the debts incurred but rather because of the things for which the borrowed money is exchanged. With borrowed money the individual or corporation can enlarge its facilities and increase its business. With borrowed money a school district can put up more buildings and attract more parents and children. With bond issues a town or city can build better streets or otherwise make the place such a good place in which to live that more population and business concerns will come its way. Debts of such sorts are judicious and legitimate. Without such transactions banks would go out of business and surplus capital cease to earn anything for its owners, while development work of most every sort would cease. Thus, it seems, those of us who agitate against going in debt should differentiate between debts for legitimate purposes and those for things we could profitably forego. Just now Paris, like many other towns, is making no progress because she is unwilling to go in debt for things her citizens and customers really need.

Will Florida Change Politics?

One effect that continued migration from the North into Florida may have on that state is already inviting study from the politicians. Will Florida step into the Republican column in the congressional elections of 1926?

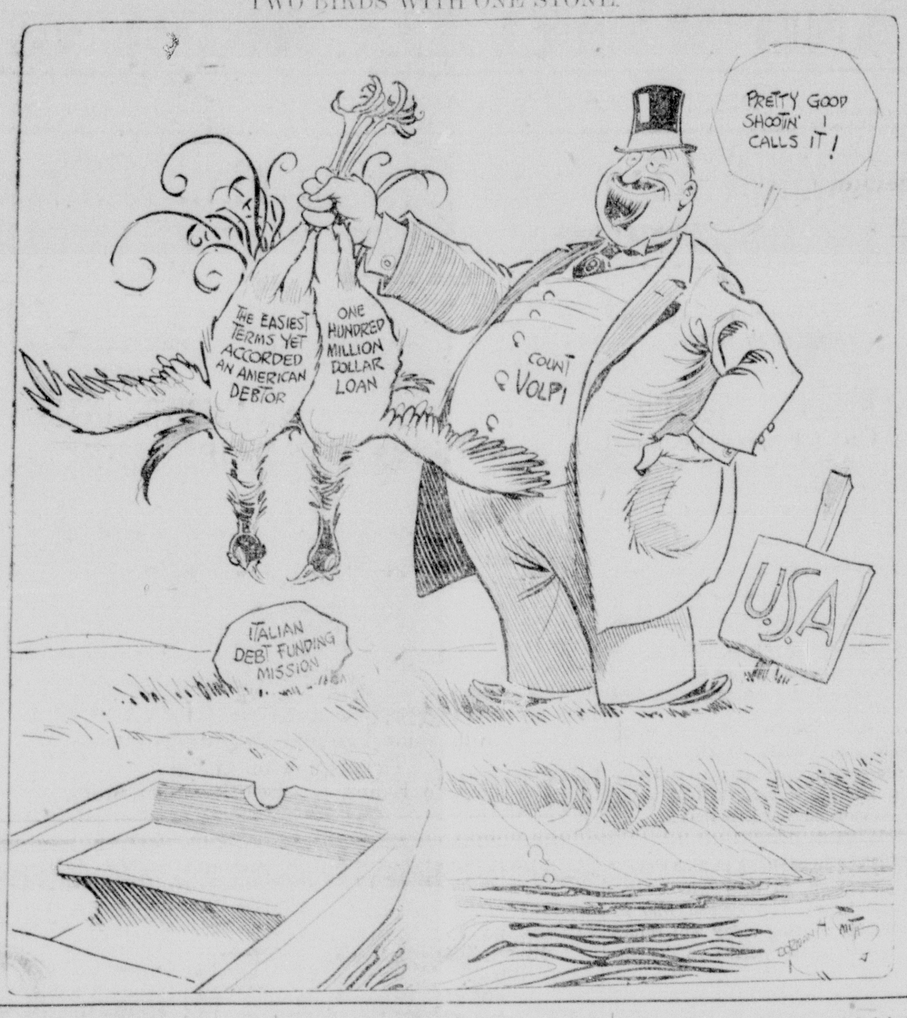
Republican party managers are looking into the matter carefully. A congressional chairman of the party will go to Florida within a few weeks to investigate the possible capture of that state and assist in a reorganization of party machinery that may help bring it about.

There has always been talk about breaking up the "Solid South" and weaning it away from its traditional Democracy, but it has been more a wish and a hope with Republicans than actual fact. Florida has chosen to associate herself with sister states on political lines. She has to some extent the same racial problems. It has not always been fashionable and frequently not respectable to be a Republican in Florida.

This influx of population from the North may be the cause of a political revolution in Florida. Also if the waves of immigration continues it may have a softening influence on party bitterness in Tennessee and North Carolina. One could count centuries, almost, before Georgia or Alabama would turn Republican, but Florida may be preparing to flop.

Stranger things have happened. Ever since the 1916 election when the big states went Republican and lots of smaller ones landed in the Wilson column, politicians have been none too sure of their ground. Ten years ago the Dakotas were counted Republican with monotonous regularity. Florida may furnish the next surprise.—Quincy Whig-Journal.

TWO BIRDS WITH ONE STONE.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WHAT ONE BOY DID.

Clarence Morilla, 14-year-old boy of Bourbon County, Kansas, is packing a bank account of $475 as the result of raising a calf. Clarence, member of the 4-H Club in Bourbon County, raised Red Boy, a Shorthorn calf, which Col. M. P. Gross, auctioneer at the American Royal, sold for $475.

The Journal-Post is proud of Clarence. Bourbon County must be proud of him. Bates County, Missouri, the county of his birth, ought to be proud of him. He has already attained the foundation of independence and usefulness. A boy who raises calves will not grow up to live by his wits or to resort to practices which are certain to impair his future.

There are many boys and girls in the 4-H Clubs as worthy as Clarence. He stands out because the calf Red Boy, which he bought for $28.50, sold for $475. His feeding and care doubtless had a lot to do with making the calf worth so much. But there are others just as worthy.

Hats off to Clarence! Hats off to all the boys and girls of the 4-H clubs! They will grow up to provide a wholesome influence in the social fabric of this region.—Kansas City Post.

TOM SIMS SAYS

A gang of children about the house is a great source of pleasure if you can stand the static.

Fish caught last summer really are marvelous. Been dead for weeks now yet they continue to grow.

When we think we think everything is all wrong we think it is time to think again.

Learn to read good people and you will find them even more interesting than reading good books.

Nothing is more tiresome than someone who is trying to be interesting instead of interested.

Figuring out the deep problems of life is a very serious business unless you realize you are liable to be wrong.

Read the Want Ads.

State Blue Book Will Be Sent Out Soon

The Manual Recognizes Road Work as Missouri's Greatest Activity.

Jefferson City, Dec. 2.—The Missouri Blue Book, the state's official manual for 1925-26 will be off the press early this month, according to Charles W. Fear, editor of the manual for Charles U. Becker, secretary of state.

Among the new features to be incorporated in this year's manual will be an exhaustive explanation of the decorations, and art exhibits in the new state capitol, written for the Blue Book by members of the capitol decorations commission.

The highway department is recognized as the state's greatest activity in the publication; fifty-four pages are given over to description of the work done by this department and include full page engravings of the four new highway bridges across the Missouri river at Boonville, Glasgow, Waverly and Lexington, Fear said.

The section of the publication given over to newspapers of the state will show a decrease of seventy-four papers of the report of two years ago, Fear said.

Only a limited number of the official manuals will be published this year, because of a shortage of state funds. Because of this condition persons desiring them should apply early, Fear declared.

EVANS ITEMS.

Lee Blackford was absent from school Tuesday.

We are making plans for a Christmas program.

James Walter sold some hogs Monday.

Martin Asbell is completing a new chicken house.

Some of the children are completing their wood projects this week.

Who Says So

WHEN you listen to the many and varied claims made for different radio sets—keep asking "Who Says So?"

Apply that test in *our* store, and we'll satisfy you right down to the ground.

Back of every claim made for the Freed-Eisemann sets which we usually recommend stand two guarantees:

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When you buy a radio, the name of the maker and the name of the seller are as important as the instrument itself.

Only where all three are good can you be sure of *permanent* satisfaction.

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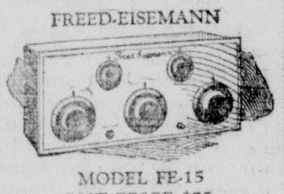

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AT THE
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During the 3 Sale Days we will give free with each range sold—

$10.00 worth of merchandise

This merchandise will represent your choice of any articles from our stock of kitchen and shelf hardware.

HEATERS

Our special prices on Heaters makes it impossible for you to pass up this opportunity if you are in need of a good heater. No heaters or ranges reserved during this sale. Everything goes!

FREE

One-Half Gallon Can Pencoil

with the purchase of five gallons or more of our good quality Gasoline. Remember this offer is good for

SATURDAY ONLY

—at our new Station—Main Street at Lincoln, and includes our usual service of changing your oil if needed. If your car does not need oil Saturday, take the half gallon PENCOIL along with you.

PENCOIL is one of the best motor oils on the market. You will be satisfied and pleased with its quality.

Welling Oil Station

Fred Welling, Mgr. Main Street at Lincoln.

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Prescription department now complete and ready to fill any and all prescriptions.

Alfred Shackelford
Registered Pharmacist.

the ideal way to California is Santa Fe "all the way" through a sunny, scenic wonderland

On your way—Grand Canyon National Park

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Reservations and details

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McDowell Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint McDowell entertained with a 1 o'clock dinner Sunday. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Irl Phillips and son, Otis, of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Otho McDowell and family of Bedison, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Holmes of Maryville, Mrs. James R. Croy of Maryville, Mrs. Leulla Phillips of St. Joseph, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Van Velson of Ravenwood. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips returned to St. Joseph last night.

Westminster Guild.

The senior Westminster Guild Chapter of the Presbyterian Church was entertained last night at the home of Mrs. R. C. Person on West Seventh street. Miss Neva Sage was the assisting hostess. Miss Dessa Gault was the devotional leader and the program was in charge of Mrs. Henry A. Foster, who discussed the fourth chapter of the text book on "Instruction versus Education." Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. A Christmas party for the members, their husbands and a number of guests will be held Tuesday night, Dec. 29, at the church, it was decided. The next regular meeting will be held Jan. 5. Twenty-two members and the following guests attended last night's meeting: Mrs. Bernhardt Bronson, Mrs. William T. Van Cleve, Mrs. Charles A. Haggard and Miss Iva Avritt.

Business Meeeting

A business meeting of Pi Epsilon Pi sorority will be held at 7 o'clock tonight at the home of Miss Virginia Robinson.

Alert Rebekah Lodge.

Officers will be elected at the meeting of Alert Rebekah Lodge tomorrow night at I. O. O. F. Hall. All members are requested to be present. All past noble grands are also urged to be present as state officers will be voted upon at this time.

Mrs. Gray Hostess.

Mrs. Edward W. Gray was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club this afternoon at her home on North Frederick avenue. The guests included, in addition to club members, Mrs. Arthur Brewer, Mrs. L. E. Forsyth, Mrs. D. J. Thomas and Mrs. Carrie Margaret Caldwell.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ferguson gave a dinner Sunday at their home near Wilcox, entertaining as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Claude Shell and family and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Duncan and daughter, Lucille.

Meet at Aley Home.

The Evening Auxiliary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church held its monthly meeting last night at the home of Mrs. Henderson Aley on South Fillmore street. Miss Sophia Hull and Mrs. T. L. Wadley were the assisting hostesses. The scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Steve Donahue and Mrs. C. C. Leeson led in prayer. Committee reports were given at the business meeting. Mrs. Theodore Gray, who was the leader of the program, read the second chapter of the text book, "Prayer and Missions." Mrs. Leonard Bosch told of the "Laws That Govern the Practice of Prayer." The mystery box was the concluding feature. A social hour and refreshments were enjoyed after the program. Those present were Mrs. L. E. Dean, Mrs. W. P. Howland, Mrs. T. B. Mumma, Mrs. Ralph Aley, Mrs. Edgar Carlson, Mrs. Walter Davis, Mrs. Fred Waggoner, Mrs. C. C. Leeson, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. James, Mrs. T. L. Wadley, Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. E. R. Miller and her guest, Mrs. S. J. Beach of Farragut, Ia., Mrs. Arthur Brewer, Mrs. M. M. Curnutt, Mrs. J. W. Herndon, Mrs. Guy Haller, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Leonard Bosch, Mrs. Steve Donahue, Mrs. Theodore Gray, Miss Emma Hull, Miss Mabel Gay and Miss Edna O'Neal.

M. V. Club.

An afternoon meeting of the M. V. Club will be held Saturday at the home of Mrs. John Knisley.

Circle No. 1.

Eight members attended the meeting of Circle No. 1 of the Baptist Church yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Greeson on East Sixth street. After a short business session the meeting was turned over to Mrs. P. J. Jantz, leader for the afternoon. The lesson was on Baptist Foreign Mission Fields, and the following talks on the subject were given: "African and Argentine Missions," Mrs. Edgar D. Arnold; "The North and South Brazil Missions," Mrs. J. A. Speirs; "Central, Interior, North and South China Missions," Mrs. J. H. Woodburn; and "Hungarian, Italian and Japan Missions," Miss Jennie Ringgold. A reading, "The Christ Child," by Mrs. James Kegin was the concluding number.

Program on Japan.

Members of the Mutual Improvement Circle held their regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Vada Halley on South Mulberry street. Devotions were led by the hostess and current events formed the roll call responses. Mrs. J. P. Price was critic of the following program on Japan: "Religion and Education," Mrs. W. B. Price; book review, "Her Father's Daughter," Mrs. Robert Lyle; "Exclusion Act," Mrs. J. E. Melvin. A Bible program will be given at the next meeting on Dec. 15, when Mrs. G. J. Moore will be hostess.

Program to Be Given by the Kryl's Band

The program to be given by Bohumir Kryl and his band at the State Teachers College auditorium tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock is as follows:

Soloists—Bohumir Kryl, cornet; Henrietta Conrad, soprano.

Afternoon Program — 1—Overture, "Robespierre," Litolff—In which is described the French Revolution. The overture opens with a movement indicating the state of national unrest immediately preceding the Reign of Terror. This, in turn is followed by a picture of the Bacchanalian orgies of the mob; the singing of the "Marseillaise" by the Girondists on their way to the scaffold, and the guillotining of the Robespierre; the triumph of Law and Order being announced by the fanfare of trumpets which opens the final movement.

2—(a)—"Serenade to Spring," Lacombe; (b)—"Shepherd's Hey," Granger.

3—"The Feast of Lanterns," Glover. Divertimento on Chinese Melodies.

4—"A Summer Evening in the Alps," Kling. (Call of the Shepherds; Shepherds' Song; Shepherds' Dance; Lover's Serenade; The Storm; Song of Joy.)

Intermission.

5—Cornet Solo—"King Carneval," Concert Polka, Kryl.

6—Suite "Peer Gynt," Grieg. 1, Morning; 2, The Death of Asa; 3, In the Hall of the Mountain Kings.

7—Soprano Solo—(a) "Roses of Picardy," Wood; (b) "For You Alone," Geehl.

8—Songs From North and South, Bendix.

The band will also give a concert at the College auditorium tomorrow night.

Says K. C. School Sold Degrees for $50 Each

Cleveland Physician Testifies In Attorney-General's Suit To Oust College.

Kansas City, Dec. 2.—Degrees of doctor of Dentistry were retailed by Dr. D. R. Alexander, secretary of the Kansas City College of Medicine and Surgery, Dr. Frederick C. Waite, Cleveland, Ohio, testified here today in the attorney-general's suit to oust the school from the state.

The degrees sold for $50 each, Dr. Waite said Alexander told him. One man paid $300 for the degree, according to Alexander.

BOX SUPPER
Friday night, December 4
Tarpley School, 1 miles north of Centenary Church.
Directed by Centenary Jubilee Players.

BAZAAR
M. E. Church, South
Social Service Rooms
Thursday
December 3rd
Cafeteria Dinner
11 a. m. to 1 p. m.
Lunch
Afternoon and Evening.
Visit the Booths—
Baby Booth
Apron Booth
Gift Dept.
Candy Booth
and the
Country Store.

Kipling Is Suffering Attack of Pneumonia

London, Dec. 2.—Rudyard Kipling, famous novelist, is suffering from an attack of pneumonia at his home in Sussex. His condition was causing his friends much anxiety today.

Rum-Running Schooner Wrecked Near Florida

Daytona Beach, Fla., Dec. 2.—A rum-running schooner from the Bahamas, was wrecked in the storm off Flagler Beach and six negro members of the crew were lost, together with 2,000 cases of choice liquor, according to the coast guard station here. Three members of the crew were rescued.

G. O. P. Loses Control of Cal's Home Town

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 2.—President Coolidge's home city went solidly Democratic in its municipal election yesterday when in Northampton William M. Welsh defeated Mayor William H. Feiker, Republican, by 872 votes, sweeping his entire ticket with him. The Republican party has had control of city politics for several years.

Visit in Independence.

Judge E. T. Bailey, Mrs. Bailey, and their son, Donald, of Maryville, spent the week-end as guests of Mrs. Bailey's sister, Mrs. E. S. Collings and family.—Independence Examiner.

Mary E. Worley Dies at Daughter's Home

Woman 84 Years Old. Had Been Ill For A Year.—Funeral Arrangements Incomplete.

Mrs. Mary E. Worley, 84 years old, died about 10 o'clock this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Irvin Hanna, of Hopkins. She had been ill of a complication of diseases for the last year. Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed.

Mrs. Worley had lived in Hopkins most of her life. In addition to the daughter at whose home she died, she is survived by these children: Mrs. Ollie McBeth, Hopkins; Charles Worley, Bedford, Ia.; and John Worley, Springdale, Ark. Mr. Worley died in 1909.

To Give "Mrs. Wiggs" at Graham on Friday

Proceeds From Home Talent Production to Go For Improvement of Eastern Star Hall.

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" will be presented by home talent at the Peerless Theater in Graham on Friday night. Proceeds from the play will be used for improvement in the Eastern Star Hall. The play is coached by Mrs. Charles Wallace and there will be special music between acts.

The parts will be played by Mrs. John Wilson, Miss Frieda Bennett, Walter Bussel, Miss Rose Geyer, Albert Sipes, Harry Haun, Miss Louise Gex, Miss Ruth Hayzlett, Neva Linville, Alfred Linville, Jeannette Miller, Mrs. L. J. Talbott, Mrs. James Loffer, John Geyer and John Gex.

Oregon Visitors Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heasty of La Grande, Ore., who have been visiting the latter's brother, George Crider and family, southwest of Maryville, and her sister, Mrs. Humphrey Lyle of Maryville, for two weeks, left last evening for their home.

READ For used cars WANT ADS

"WEDLOCK IN FAIRYLAND"
(A Pageant in 3 Acts)
HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
Friday Night, December 4
8 o'clock.
To be given by the
Children of First Methodist Church
Sponsored by
LADIES AID SOCIETY
Admission: Adults 35c; Children 20c.
Tickets now on sale at
Gaugh & Evans; Bee Hive Shoe Store.

The "muscles" lengthen its life

THE "muscles" of tough, live rubber give astonishing endurance and record-breaking long life—without adding weight—to Top Notch Buddy Boots. These ribs or muscles, strong as whalebone, add strength to the tops and prevent them from cracking. The tough gray soles stand up under the hardest going in muck and stumps, in ditches, slush or ice. The longest-wearing boot your money can buy.

The Top Notch Cross is your guide to durable, dependable rubber footwear—boots, arctics, rubbers for men, women and children. The most reliable stores have them. The Beacon Falls Rubber Shoe Company, Beacon Falls, Conn.

TOP NOTCH
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TOP NOTCH *Short Buddy Boot* in men's, boys' and youths' sizes. Made also in hip lengths, red or black, for men and *Storm King* length for men, boys and youths.

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FRIDAY ONLY

Dollar Day in our Dress Department

Your chance to pick and choose from our entire stock of Dresses.

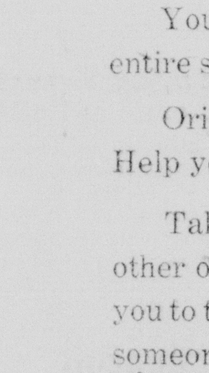
Original price ticket is on every garment. Help yourself—Cafeteria style.

Take one dress at the original price and the other one for a Dollar. It's not necessary for you to take the second dress for yourself, bring someone else and get two dresses for the price of one, plus a dollar.

The second dress must not be worth more than the first.

Entire stock, including Velvets, Cloth, Silk Crepe and Georgettes—large assortment from which to choose. All sizes up to 52½ and down to 14 years—this season's newest style, some of them just in.

IT'S A VALUE-GIVING SALE!



Its A Real Sale

Buy a $19.50 Dress and take another for

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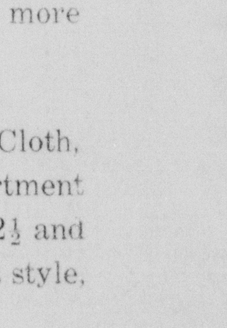

We Have in Stock
All Kinds of
Electric Light Bulbs
HOWARD WRAY HDW. CO
THE WINCHESTER STORE

ON SALE THURSDAY MORNING
9:00 A. M. SHARP
Women's Silk Hose
Fifty pairs going on sale Thursday morning at 9:00 a. m. and will be sold. Limit one pair to a customer at, pair—
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Montgomery Shoe Co.
"ART · IN · FOOTWEAR"

Open a Checking Account for Your Wife

Let your wife be the business head of your home. You have plenty of other worries without having to spend time checking over the trades' bills and making out checks when necessary. A Checking Account in your wife's name will enable her to do this work for you, and at the same time give her an accurate record of her expenditures.

Unusual Greeting Cards

Do not delay to order those Christmas Greeting Cards immediately.

To those you do not reach with Gifts, your printed Christmas Card should go.

It is not too late to have your Greeting Cards engraved, but we have an excellent display from which to choose that may be made up in printed form.

Let us have your orders for printing your name on our beautiful Christmas Cards. They will have an undoubted air of good taste and social correctness.

THE DEMOCRAT-FORUM AND TRIBUNE

Personals

Mrs. Elmer Porter of Harmony was in Maryville today.

A. M. Hall and son of Hopkins were Maryville visitors today.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Owens of Hopkins were Maryville visitors today.

Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Sr., went to St. Joseph this morning to spend the day.

Peck Jones and Charles Hann of Burlington Junction spent today in Maryville.

Omer Streng of Pickering, who has been undergoing treatment at St. Francis hospital for a few days, was able to return home this afternoon. He is improving.

G. Matter and daughter, Miss Ruth Matter, Mrs. Levi Wallace, and Mrs. Ray Taylor and little daughter, Betty, spent Sunday evening at Sunset Hill and heard Jane Addams lecture by radio on the World Court. The late Mrs. Matter and Miss Addams were schoolmates. Monday evening the Ladies Harmonica contest at KFNF was on the air and Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Busby, Mr. Matter and Miss Matter listened in at the Robinson home.

James Vert Undergoes Operation.

James Vert of Maryville underwent an operation for tumor yesterday morning at Rochester, Minn. He stood the operation well and his condition is satisfactory, according to the last report received by Mrs. Vert. His son, Delbert Vert, is at his bedside.

Sustains Broken Jaw Bone.

Leo Halasey, who is attending the School of Law, St. Louis University, suffered a broken jaw bone the latter part of last week while boxing with a friend in St. Louis. He is doing nicely, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Halasey.

Texas Visitor.

Joe Bremmer of Booker, Texas is spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Bremmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Halasey, on Prather avenue. He came here Monday from Warrenton, Mo., where he attended the funeral of his uncle, Frederick A. Bremmer.

Frank Antrim Brings Suit for a Divorce

A divorce suit was filed today by Frank Antrim against Elsie Antrim. The petition states they were married on October 5, 1910, and lived together until November 5, 1925. Indignities are alleged in the petition. Care and custody of two minor children is asked for.

Harmony High Will Give Play Thursday

High School Juniors And Seniors To Present "Charley's Aunt," Tomorrow Night.

A three-act comedy, "Charley's Aunt," will be presented tomorrow night by the juniors and seniors of the Harmony High School at the Harmony Church. Specialities will be given between the acts and the Harmony orchestra will furnish music during the evening.

The cast of characters:

Sir Francis Chesney—Franklin Dowden.

Mr. Spettigue—Dale Wynn.

Lord Baberly—Fay Woodson Null.

Donna Lucia Dalvadorez—Maxine Rhodes.

Amy Spettigue—Neva King.

Kittie Verdun—Mildred Panning.

Ella Delahay—Beulah Wray.

Jack Chesney—Richard Heflin.

Brassett—Harold Hilton.

Charles Wyakham—Howard Edwards.

Mrs. Halley Ford, coach of dramatics directing.

L. C. Cook Was Taken Sick at Albany

Was Brought Home This Afternoon in An Ambulance—Condition Is Some Better.

L. C. Cook was taken sick yesterday afternoon while on business in Albany and was brought home this afternoon in an ambulance. It was reported from Albany Mr. Cook had an acute attack of kidney trouble and that his condition this morning was better.

Mr. Cook was accompanied home this afternoon by his brother, E. G. Cook and T. A. Cummins and James B. Cummins.

Laura Margaret Raines Broadcasts Over Radio

Miss Laura Margaret Raines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines, broadcast the reading, "Mother O'Mine" from the University of Nebraska Broadcasting Station at Lincoln at 10:45 o'clock this morning.

Several Maryville persons were tuned in on the Nebraska station and heard the reading. Miss Raines is a sophomore in the school at Lincoln.

Read the Want Ads.

Nodaway Countian Tops Hog Market

C. A. Crawford Sells Load of Fancy Lights at $11.15—Other Local Breeders Sell Steers

C. A. Crawford, successful farmer and feeder of Nodaway County, was on the St. Joseph market Tuesday with a load of fancy Duroc-Jersey light hogs, averaging 140 pounds, that scored the extreme top for the day, $11.15.

"These hogs although classing as light lights, were smooth and as fat as butter," says the Stock Yards Journal in its report of the sale. "Nothing better of their weight and finish have been seen here this season, according to well posted market operators.

"Mr. Crawford accompanied the shipment and was well pleased with the sale of his 'pigs.' He patronizes the local market regularly and his hogs almost invariably command top prices."

Four other Nodaway County stockmen sold steers on the market. W. L. Merrigan sold a load of 1,089-pound steers at $9.25, and Roy Merrigan sold a load averaging 844 pounds at $9.10. G. L. Hackett sold a load of 968-pound steers at $9.50, and George M. Brown sold a load of 1,159-pounders at $9.25.

In addition to these men, Transis House arrivals yesterday included Carl Scott of Pickering, Myrl Keith, also of Pickering, and Ben Zeliff, Skidmore.

Valuation Is Lower in Grant Township

Personal Property Assessment Is Cut From $448,512 for 1925 to $257,215 for 1926.

Personal property valuation in Grant Township, which includes Barnard, is cut almost in half by the assessment books of Township Assessor A. S. Blagg, which have been checked by Walter Smith, deputy county clerk.

The total valuation of personal property in that township last year, as finally determined by the board of equalization, for this year's taxes, was $448,512. Assessor Blagg's total, to be the basis for next year's taxes, is $257,215.

The most marked difference is on household goods, money, notes and bonds, and motor vehicles. Household goods, valued by the assessor last year at $45,685, are assessed at $18,845 by Mr. Blagg. Money, notes and bonds show a decrease from $184,954 to $78,920. The number of motor vehicles is given as 167 as compared with 227 last year, and their value is put at $18,100 instead of $42,305.

Horses, according to Assessor Blagg, have decreased in number from 542 to 511 and in value from $21,695 to $19,935. Mules have dwindled from 260 to 195 and from $16,860 to $10,250 in value.

There are more cattle but they are valued at less. The 1926 assessor puts the number at 2,221 and their value at $63,455. Last year there were only 2,064 but they were valued at $73,795.

Hogs are numbered at 3,384 instead of 3,424 and valued at $31,545 instead of $34,660. There are 462 sheep, valued at $2,310, instead of 520 valued at $2,595. The value of farm machinery is given as $11,605 as compared to $14,325 last year. Miscellaneous personal property is valued at $2,250 instead of $9,020.

The assessment of farm land does not show so much change. A total of 29,424.31 acres, at an average value of $77.75, is worth $2,286,780, according to Assessor Blagg. Last year 29,441.9 acres were assessed at an average of $76, for a total of $2,240,600, but the county board of equalization increased this figure to $2,295,300.

Town lots are valued at $157,350 instead of last year's assessor's total of $172,900 and the board of equalization's figure of $176,086.

The grand total assessment for 1926 is $2,701,345. Last year the assessor's increased to $2,919,898 by the board figures were $2,860,812 and they were of equalization.

I. A. Goodson, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard King and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Newt Long of Ravenwood were in Maryville today.

AUNT HET

"It ain't no sin to hint, an' when I took a basket to them Clancy's I put in a wash rag an' a cake of soap."

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Miss Ward, 79 Years Old, Dies This Morning

Death Came at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Z. O. Ashford—Burial in Workman Chapel Cemetery.

Miss Archley Ellen Ward, 79 years old, died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Z. O. Ashford in the Sunrise neighborhood, northwest of Maryville, at 1:15 o'clock this morning. She had been ill of pneumonia the past week. She had made her home with the Ashfords the past five months.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Ashford home at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon and burial will be at the Workman Chapel cemetery by the side of her sister, Martha King, who died some nineteen years ago. The funeral services will be conducted by Dr. C. C. James, pastor of the First M. E. Church of Maryville.

Miss Ward was born near Bloomington, Indiana, October 7, 1846. She came to Missouri about thirty years ago and had lived in that neighborhood since that time. She is survived by a nephew, James King of Maryville and one neice, Miss Lydia Hudgens of St. Joseph.

Sedalia Journalist and Soldier Is Laid to Rest

Sedalia, Mo., Dec. 2.—Col. George H. Scruton, journalist and soldier, was laid to rest this afternoon with full military honors, his funeral being the largest and first strict military one to be held here since the World War. Capt. C. G. Fox, chaplain of the 128th Field Artillery and rector of the Cavalry Episcopal Church, conducted the services. There was no music, other than the church organ.

November Readers in Library Average 56

72 Books and Magazines Loaned Each Day, According to Monthly Report

An average of fifty-six readers visited the Maryville Free Public Library each day during November and an average of 72 books and magazines were loaned daily, according to the monthly report submitted to the City Council last night by Miss Grace Langan, librarian.

As usual, fiction was an overwhelming favorite with both adult and juvenile readers. The children read 402 works of fiction and only 85 classified otherwise, while the adults asked for 892 works of fiction and only 80 of the other divisions. Literature came next with 39 and biography third with 15.

Sixty-three magazines were loaned during the month and the total of books and magazines was 1,522. Visitors in the periodical room numbered 736, in the children's room 261, the reference room 257, and there were 150 Sunday readers, making a total for the month of 1,404.

Collections for the month totaled $13.10, with fines netting $10.32 and penny-a-day books adding $2.28.

New book stacks cost $297.91, and $54.35 was paid for the re-binding of a number of popular volumes.

Shipping Sickness Is Found in Cattle Here

Is Contagious and Cattle Having it Should Be Segregated, Dr. K. Sears Says

Several farmers who have been shipping in cattle for feeding this year have had trouble with the disease known as shipping fever or stockyard fever. Cattle have died at the A. R. Martin farm, north of Maryville; and at the G. A. Fite farm, east of town. There have been cases of the disease at the James McGinness and R. M. Evans farms also.

The disease has presented itself in several forms, according to K. Sears, veterinarian. In this locality it has been most prevalent in intestinal form, but it may break out in the lungs or skin.

This is a communicable disease and cows having it should be segregated, according to Dr. Sears. The symptoms are: inactivity on the part of the animal, dry muzzle, refusal to eat, and a low hung head with abdomen tucked in.

The disease may come from a change of feeding, climatic conditions, or when an animal's resistance has been run down, as from shipping, Dr. Sears pointed out.

Briand Government to Launch Inflation Policy

Ministry Is Compelled to Authorize Bank of France to Advance Six Billion Francs.

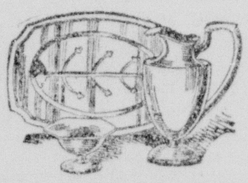
Paris, Dec. 2.—The Briand government will launch an inflation policy in the Chamber of Deputies tonight, it was learned officially today. Much as he is opposed to inflation, Finance Minister Loucheur will be forced tonight to ask the Chamber to authorize the Bank of France to advance six billion francs to the state and print an additional seven and a half billion francs.

Read the Want Ads.

Thursday Morning Special
MEN'S SILK HOSE
While they last Thursday morning we will sell to the early comers, fifty pairs men's regular 75 cent silk hose at one cent each. Only 50 pairs will be sold at this price and will be sold, Limit One Pair to a customer at per pair
1c
Doors Open Thursday, 9:00 a. m., Sharp.
MONTGOMERY CLOTHING CO.
Get to Know Us. Prices in Plain Figures.

OUTSTANDING
Used Car Values
Ford Coupe, almost new. This is a good value at the price we have on it. See it.
Ford Coupe, 1924 model. Another good value. It has five good tires. You can't go wrong in buying this one.
A dandy good Overland Blue-Bird, with good Balloon tires.
One good 5 passenger Willys-Knight. This is in excellent conditoin.
One Durant, 5-passenger Touring.
A real good Ford Sedan.
One Ford Coupe in good condition.
A Ford Roadster that has a lot of good service in it.
One Ford Touring with a good winter top.
Three Ford Tourings.
Three good Trucks. There is a lot of service in these trucks. Someone should have them out making money.
Always Some Good Used Cars.
SEWELL AUTO CO.
WILLYS-OVERLAND FINE MOTOR CARS

TONIGHT
EMPIRE THEATRE
ATTRACTIONS
at
College Auditorium
SCHNITZ SEYMOURE'S
Black and White Revue
Also change of Pictures. 7:45 p. m.
Adults 50c. Children 10c


Silverwear
The Gift That Lasts
Our stock of Silverware was never more beautiful than our present Xmas display.
Sandwich trays, lemon dishes, salt and pepper shakers, baskets and many other exquisite pieces in new designs.
KUCHS BROS.
Jewelers OPTOMETRISTS Stationers

Independent Quintet Formed at Pickering

Russell Burks Chosen Captain And Manager.—Team Wants Games Away From Home.

An independent basketball team has been organized at Pickering. Several former high school stars make up this team, which is now open for games away from home, there being no gymnasium in Pickering. Russell Burks has been selected as captain and manager of the team, and all who wish to schedule games with this quintet are asked to communicate with him.

Among those who will play on the team are: Burks, Smith, Houston, Doyle, Rickard, Gray, Zook, and Hood, with possibly a few others.

Elmo Cage Schedule Has Been Completed

First Game On Friday At Elmo With Hopkins High School Basketeers.

Elmo High School opens the indoor basketball season with a game with Hopkins at Elmo on Friday. Eight games and two tournaments have been scheduled by the Elmo authorities. The full schedule follows:

Dec. 4.—Hopkins at Elmo.
Dec. 11.—Elmo at Westboro.
Jan. 1.—Braddyville at Elmo.
Jan. 15.—Rock Port at Elmo.
Jan. 22.—Elmo at Hopkins.
Jan. 29.—Elmo at Braddyville.
Feb. 9.—College Springs girls at Elmo.
Feb. 12—Westboro at Elmo.
Feb. 20.—Tournament at Hopkins.
Feb. 27.—Tournament at Elmo.

Nickel Plate Juniors Win a Football Game

Take Hard-Fought Contest From Spoofhound Juniors Yesterday by 12 to 6 Score.

The Nickel Plate Juniors defeated the Spoofhound Juniors in a hard-fought battle yesterday afternoon at the Seminary Field, the score being 12 to 6.

Fumbles by the Nickle Plates were costly. The line up follows:

Spoofhound Juniors		Nickle Plates
Arthur Brewer	LE	Jack Chick
Carl Wiles	LT	Vilas Thorp
Herbert Swanson	LG	Junior Reavis
Raymond Hopp	C	Wayne Dorman
T. Walker	RG	C. Greenlee
Junior Gray	RT	Lyle McGinnis
Elwood Williams	RE	Irvin Bartram
Robert Carlson (c)	Q	J. H. Heath
Herbert Godbey	LH	Kirby Bovard
Bill Padgette	RH	L. Campbell
Francis Walker	FB	J. H. Thorp (c)

Touchdowns—F. Walker and J. H. Thorp, 2.

M. H. S. Basketeers in First Daily Practice

Coach Herbert Has Forty Boys Out for Team; Six are Experienced.

Basketball practice started at the Maryville High School yesterday afternoon when a squad of forty boys reported to Coach W. H. Herbert for the initial work-out. Of this number, six are letter men, and around them the local mentor will build his quintet.

For two or three weeks the practice periods will be devoted entirely to the rudiments of basketball. Coach Herbert will school his men in shooting, passing, dribbling, guarding, and pivoting. Later, team play will be studied.

An early cut is expected in the squad since it is impossible for a coach to do justice to a team when there are so many aspirants. So, those not so good will be gradually weeded out until the squad is on a working basis.

Coach Herbert has not completed his schedule, but there will be in the neighborhood of a dozen games. Ten of these have already been arranged for, but the coach would not yet give them out as the dates have not been definitely decided on.

Letter men who are back for the squad this year are: McMurry, Kissinger, Tindall, Petty, Yeary, and Wagner.

Star Tackle Elected Cape Girardeau Capt.

Cape Girardeau, Dec. 2.—Joe Haw, star tackle on the State Teachers' College football team here during the past season, was elected captain of the 1926 team by unanimous vote of his mates yesterday. Playing with Westminster last year Haw attracted state-wide recognition and a place on the mythical all-Missouri team. Haw, a junior, lives at Benton, Mo.

"Jazz-Mad" Age Cause of Excessive Divorces

Legal Laxity Also Blamed by Jurist in Los Angeles, Which Is Becooming Divorce Capital.

By Lincoln Quarberg

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Los Angeles, Dec. 2 (United Press.)—Los Angeles has replaced Reno as the divorce capital of America.

Divorces can be secured here on six grounds and often in as many minutes.

Divorce-seeking couples from every state come to Los Angeles daily, hurriedly establish residence, and depart with their freedom.

There were approximately half as many divorces as marriages here this year. Marriage licenses for 1925 dropped off 1,357, as contrasted to divorces which increased 1,346.

An average of 32 persons are divorced every day in the two Los Angeles courts which handle such cases.

Laxity of the statutes are blamed for this situation by both Judges John W. Summerfield and Walter Gates, who preside over the local divorce courts, and are authority for the foregoing information.

"Careless parents" and the "jazz-mad age of extravagance" are causing a nationwide increase in divorce, the jurists declare.

"Divorces can be obtained in Los Angeles on six grounds," explained Judge Summerfield. "Mental cruelty is the most used and abused of them all. The others are intemperance, desertion, conviction of a felony, non-support and adultery.

"Out of this east field anybody can build up a case and when the suit is not contested, as 80 per cent of them are not, a judge is left powerless."

Judge Summerfield scored the "extravagance" of modern couples.

"Of those who come before me—some 5,000 persons a year—few have acquired a home," he said.

"The first thing after marriage is to buy an automobile. Then the girl wants a fur coat. She demands pretty clothes. She wants to live in an apartment and a paper bag.

"Marriage has ceased to be a binding, sacred contract in this jazz mad age of extravagance.

The parents are largely to blame. Mothers and fathers used to sit down and talk to their sons and daughters about a marriage. They used to tell them married life wasn't a bed of roses, but a hard, long road to eventual happiness, reached only by work, and saving, and sacrifice."

The records here show that six times as many women file divorce actions as men, according to Summerfield.

"The men usually charge desertion," he continued. "The women play on the most abused grounds of all, mental cruelty.

"The other day I asked the first eight women who appeared before me about their courtship before marriage. Six of them had known the men they married less than one year. Two had met their husbands in the morning, married them at noon, and deserted them at night.

"One of the eight admitted she was 'lit' when she took the marriage vows. Another had married on a dare.

"Marriage used to be a state which was to last for life. But today it is just taking a chance.

"In 90 per cent of the cases I feel confident the men and women have found somebody else who appeals to them more than the mate they married.

"So they just frame up causes for a divorce.

"And under the laws we have here, the hands of the divorce judges in such cases are figuratively tied behind their backs."

PARNELL.

Willing Workers.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bird returned from St. Joseph Monday, where they had been with their son, Viron, who underwent an operation at one of the hospitals there last Saturday. They report him as slowly improving.

Prof. Alva Burch visited with homefolks in Maryville last Sunday.

Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Lane and Miss Lucile Herndon spent Friday and Saturday in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Elkins and son, Wheaton, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. A. E. Coffman and daughter, Mrs. Corrine Nye.

Miss Ethel Kaufman returned to Spickard, Mo. Sunday afternoon to resume her schoolwork.

Mrs. Elizabeth Dinsmore returned Sunday from a visit with her son, Grover and family at Maysville, Mo.

Mrs. Dillard Willhite returned to her home at Torrington, Wyo., after spending several weeks here with her mother, Mrs. R. Snoddy and other relatives.

Carl Timmerman and mother spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Archer near Gaynor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. De Freece entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. R. L. Murdock of North Platte, Neb., and daughter, Miss Bonnie of Christian College at Lincoln. Plates were laid for the following, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sparks and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Sparks and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thomas and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Murdock, Mrs. Eliza Sparks, the honor guests and the host and hostess and daughter, Dorothy Helen.

Miss Arlene Gabbert returned home Sunday afternoon, after spending several weeks in the hospital in St. Joseph, following an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson and Millicent Beard spent Sunday with Mrs. May Wilson west of Grant City.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Cox and Mrs. J. F. Favor were business visitors in Maryville, Monday afternoon.

W. C. Nelson was a business visitor in Grant City Monday.

Dr. Matteson, wife and sons, visited relatives in Grant City Sunday.

Prof. Harry Nelson spent the week-end with home folks at Barnard.

Husband Named Administrator.

Ira A. Wells of Ryenwood has been appointed administrator of the estate of his wife, Mrs. Zula M. Wells, who died October 16.

BUHLER'S MARKET

118 East Third St.

Hanamo 161. Farmers 201.

Thursday and Friday

Grape Fruit, large 64 size, 2 for	25c	Coffee, Butter Nut, the coffee delicious, per pound	60c
Maple Sugar Cream, delicious for confections, 1 pound tins	35c	K C Baking Powder, the 25 oz. tin for	20c
Maple Syrup, made from pure Vermont Maple Sap, per pint	65c	Hominy, flaked 2 pounds for	15c
Oysters, direct from Baltimore, per pint	40c	New Oata, Kellogg's Health Cereal, pkg	15c
Liverwurst, home made by the lb	20c	Graham Crax, 2 lb caddies	35c
Head Cheese, home made, by the lb	20c	Pecans, paper shell, by the pound	75c
Link Sausages, by the pound	30c	Almonds, fancy Drake, by the pound	30c
Hamburger, fresh ground by the lb	15c	Sweet Chocolate, Dot, ½ pound	25c
Steaks, cut from choicest home killed beef, per pound	30c	Food Coloring, green, yellow and red, 2 oz. bottle	20c

2000 Stockholders in 1913, 15,000 Now

In 1913, there were about 2,000 United Light stockholders and only a few hundred resided in communities served by the company. At present, the shareholders number approximately 15,000 and two-thirds live in communities served.

The United Light & Railways Company Prior Preferred Shares were first issued in 1920. These shares are sold through employees and the company's own securities department with customers and employees especially invited to invest and share in the prosperity of the company. In five years the number of Prior Preferred Shareholders has grown to 8974.

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Matinee at 3:00. Night 7:30 and 9:00

Tonight and tomorrow—

Gloria Swanson in 'WAGES OF VIRTUE'

Gloria Swanson in the Paramount Picture "Wages of Virtue"

Leave it to Gloria to pick surprise roles. And what a sweet surprise this role is! Excuse us for not telling. Come and see and be conquered!

Also Aesop's Fable.

"ADVENTURES OF ADENOID"

Admission—Children 15c; adults 35c.

FRIDAY, Dec. 4—Bob Custer, in "TRIGGER FINGERS." A picture with plenty of action and thrills. Also International News.

SATURDAY, Dec. 5—Richard Dix in "MEN AND WOMEN." Also a two reel western Fred Humes in "TAKING CHANCES." Two matinees, Saturday, 2:30 and 4:10.

HOSMER'S STOCK SALE

Star Pavilion

Maryville, Saturday Dec. 5th

What do you want to sell? At your Service

R. P. Hosmer "The Auctioneer"

On Exhibition Today—The

THE INSTRUMENT OF QUALITY

SONORA

CLEAR AS A BELL

RADIO $90

The Sonora Phonograph Company has brought tone quality to radio in the Sonora five-tube tone quality receiving set.

Each rippling note, every vibrant chord comes to you with all its original depth and coloring, unmarred by the undertone of another station.

The Sonora deLuxe console speaker interprets each vibrant impulse just as clearly as it emanates from the set. Delights the eye too—all batteries, charger and wiring may be concealed with. $50.

Alva Lett, Pickering
C. A. Shunk, Ravenwood.
Rhodes Music Shop, Maryville.

BAND MUSIC AT ITS BEST

A Master Cornetist With His World Famous Band

Bohumir Kryl's Band

Who doesn't like good band music? And who could wish for better band music than that produced by the famous Bohemian cornetist, Bohumir Kryl, and his world famous band. Every lover of music has heard of this great band. Many have heard it. Many more have heard its music reproduced on the Victrola.

Music lovers of Maryville and Northwest Missouri now have an opportunity to hear it in person. At considerable expense the College is bringing this group of talented musicians to Maryville. They will give an afternoon concert and night concert Thursday of this week.

The programs will be varied to include both modern and classical music. In his interpretation of modern music one sees the imagination and creative power of Kryl's musical genius.

Miss Henrietta Conrad, the famous operatic soprano of New York City, will appear as soloist at both concerts.

Kryl and his band have played in all of the larger cities of the United States, and the comment of a few of the newspapers are given below:

The Chicago Tribune: "As a director he is without a peer, as a virtuoso he is unrivaled."

Los Angeles Times: "The most remarkable cornet technicist in the world."

Washington Post: "The effect of his playing was electrical."

New York Times: "Kryl is complete master of the difficult instrument."

Kansas City Star: "Kryl is a great virtuoso."

Cincinnati Enquirer: "He is a great conductor and the head of a great band."

Tickets are now on sale at Kuchs Brothers. Reserved seats are on sale for the evening concert at no extra charge.

THURSDAY, 3 p. m., 8 p. m.

Afternoon 50c; night $1.00.

College Auditorium

BAND MUSIC AT ITS BEST

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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THAT BRING RESULTS

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For further information, contract rates on Want Ads, etc., address The Advertising Department, The Democrat-Forum and Tribune Maryville, Missouri.

MONUMENTS—2

Mark every grave
with a
MEMORIAL
MARYVILLE GRANITE WORKS
"We have no Agents."

PROFESSIONAL.

When in need of a Veterinary call
R.L. Wohlford
Veterinarian
Maryville, Mo.
Calls answered promptly Day or Night—Hanamo 470—Farmers 160-11.

Dr. K. Sears
Veterinarian
Calls answered promptly day or night
Hanamo 740-265 Farmers 97-97½

ANNOUNCEMENTS—4

Visit Our
Gift Shop
Department
RAINES & CHAVIS

WANTED—Curtains to repair. Doors made to open and close with door; celluloid sewed in.—Lanning Tire and Top Company, Maryville.

Burgess and Eveready RADIO BATTERY 3 for $1.00.—Rhodes Music Shop.

BATTERY SERVICE

Fisher Battery Station.—Hanamo 148, Farmers 113.

ANNOUNCEMENT—4

MARYVILLE LODGE NO. 165
A. F. & A. M.
Regular communication tonight at 7:30. Work in Third Degree.
James Smith, W. M.
Fred Smith, Sec.

BEAUTIFY YOUR HOME
By setting hardy shrubs, privet hedges, vines, and shade trees. Make spring plans now.
MURRAY NURSERIES.

LOST—5

LOST—Tortoise Shell Glasses on East 3rd Street.—Return Farmers Auto Supply.

LOST—A Parker Fountain Pen with name, Mary Keith on it.—Finder please call Hanamo 169.

HELP WANTED—7

WANTED—Country Salesman with car for this and adjoining counties. Good pay. Permanent. Largest of its kind in world.—Address 134 this office.

AUTOS, MOTORS, ETC.—9

Bargains In
Used Cars
1—1920 Essex Touring.
1—1921 Studebaker Light-Six Touring.
1—1923 Dort-Six Touring.
1—1924 Ford Truck.
RABORN McCOMB MOTOR CO.
Lowery Hardware Bldg.
Studebaker Sales and Service

Hudson **Essex**
1—1924 Hudson Coach.
2—1924 Essex Tourings.
1—1923 Ford Roadster.
1—1920 Essex 4-Touring.
HUDSON-CARLSON MOTOR CO.
Hudson Sales and Service
Kramer Garage

USED CAR BARGAINS
1—1924 Buick Master 6 Roadster.
1—1924 Ford Coupe.
2—Ford Tourings.
GEORGE McMURRY
Buick Sales and Service

USED CAR VALUES

Ford Coupe—Almost new. This is a good value at our price. See it.
1924 Ford Coupe—Extra good condition. Five tires.
Overland Blue-Bird, Balloon tires.
Willys-Knight, 5 passenger Touring.
Durant, 5 passenger; Ford Sedan, Ford Coupe, Ford Roadster, Ford Touring, winter top; three Ford Tourings, Three Trucks.
SEWELL AUTO CO.
Maryville, Mo.

GUARANTEED USED FORD CARS
1—1923 Ford Sedan.
2—1923 Tourings with starters.
2—1922 Tourings with starters.
These cars have been rebuilt, repaired and they look and act like new—but the price is low.
BARMANN AUTO COMPANY

USED CARS
Dodge Brothers
1925—Dodge Sedan, like new.
1924—Dodge Coupe.
1922—Dodge Sedan, new Duco finish.
1924—Essex Coach, almost new.
1920—Dodge Touring, new tires.
ARNOLD STRONG MOTOR CO.
Dodge Brothers
Sales and Service

FOR SALE—Ford Coupe, 1924.—Mrs. Dale Howland, Hanamo 4256.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS—11

FOR SALE—Cheap—One Ratine Dress, one Georgette Dress, one hat.—Call Mrs. W. C. Chaves, Hanamo 490.

FOR SALE—Purebred Rhode Island Red cockerels.—Mrs. M. E. Bell, Barnard.

FOR SALE—60 head native ewes, bred for February lambs.—Edison Blagg, Farmers 44-17.

FOR SALE—Hartz Mountain and German Roller Canaries. Guaranteed good singers.—Hanamo 4510.

FOR SALE—1,500 yearling feeder wethers and car mules.—Johnson Land Company, Seward, Nebraska.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS—11

FOR SALE—Two Spring Duroc Jersey boars.—Allen Henry, Burlington Junction, Mo.

FOR SALE—6 good yearling calves on feed, 9 miles northeast of Maryville. E. W. Barrock.

FOR SALE—27 dehorned red and roan feeding steers; have been on my pasture for 7 months; are in good flesh and all are eating corn. No bruised cattle or shipping fever here. Market your corn through the feed lot.—Elmer Fraser. Both phones.

FOR SALE—45 head of breeding ewes.—Leo King, Conception Junction.

FOR SALE—Clover Feed Grinder No. 40; practically new. Henry Davison, Maryville, Mo.—Phone Through Barnard.

FOR SALE—Corn in wagon load lots or more.—Auer Brothers, Hanamo 6514.

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island Red cockerels.—Mrs. Lawrence Frazee, Farmers 37-11.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS—12

BOYS—EARN MONEY
We pay you HIGHEST prices for junk. Earn your Xmas money by gathering up junk iron, old batteries, radiators, tin-foil and scrap metal.
MARYVILLE IRON AND METAL CO.
Hanamo 518 Farmers 286

WANTED—Plain sewing to do at home.—Hanamo 679, Farmers 28-0-11.

WANTED—Washings and ironings to do.—811 East Third Street.

NOTICE—If you want a truck call Star Barn.—Claude Tabler, both phones.

WANTED—Stove wood.—Apply 407 East Seventh Street.

TO RENT—RESIDENCES—13

For Rent
Two Ideal Apartments
5 and 6 rooms each.
Possession now.
CHAS. HYSLOP.

FOR RENT—Three modern rooms, lights and heat furnished, private bath. No one with children need apply. Inquire J. D. Dickerson, 302 East 6th.—Hanamo 344.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms in modern home, 4 blocks from College, 4 blocks from Square, 209 West 7th Street. Farmers 191.

FOR RENT—6 room furnished house, close in, west side.—Call Hanamo 312.

FOR RENT—4 rooms and bath. Modern except heat.—Farmers 124-11.

FOR RENT—5 room modern house northwest addition.—See A. L. Nash.

FOR RENT—4 furnished rooms and bath.—Modern except heat.—Farmers 124-11.

HOUSE FOR RENT—4 rooms.—F. E. Orcutt.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—14

USED FURNITURE
Just in—extra good oak buffet, table, dufold, Singer Sewing Machine, day bed, rugs, cook stove, heater and davenport.
CASE FURNITURE EXCHANGE

COAL, FEED, ETC.—16

COAL
Cars Wyoming lump, best Franklin County lump, egg or nut, No. 2 Illinois nut, arriving daily.
WM. EVERHART
Coal—Ice—Wood—Feed

Shoemaker-Bovard
Transfer, Storage, Coal and Sand.
WE SOLICIT YOUR INQUIRY.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE—17

FOR SALE—or Rent—Cozy cottage at 540 West First. Call at 530 West First. Hanamo 490.—Mrs. Bud Knox.

FOR SALE—Good 6 room house, 2 lots, good location, close in.—B. Snapp, 739 Locust, Kansas City, Mo.

FOR SALE

Two brand new dwelling houses; West Side location; paved street. Can sell on attractive terms if desired. Worth your serious consideration.—C. D. Allen, 119 East Fourth.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE

6 rooms modern, except heat; 2½ lots. West Side, $3,700; terms.

7 room modern, West Side; corner lot, fine condition, $5,800 for quick deal.

6 rooms all modern, good garage and cave. Priced to sell, $4,500.

6 room; fine home, best of location. Priced for quick sale, $7,000.

We have a large list of properities from $1,200 up to $14,000; also some of the best farms in the county. Let us show you.

YEO BROS.
Phone 3255 109½ E 4th St.

COLORADO FARM—Buy a farm where crops are good, prices of land low, good schools and churches, one crop often pays for a home, write or see—Rose & Wall, Stratton, Colorado.

FOR SALE—or rent. Improved 80-acre farm on State Highway, 9 miles east of Maryville.—Thos. E. Ruth, Ravenwood, Mo.

STOVES, FURNACE REPAIRING—19

Proper Heating
Cannot be obtained unless your furnace pipes are properly placed. Consult us if some of your rooms do not warm up as they should.
HEIDEMAN & LEET.
Sheet and Metal Works.

Tariff Another Issue Which Faces Congress

Insurgents Threaten To Make Old Question Live One in Coming Session Opening Next Monday.

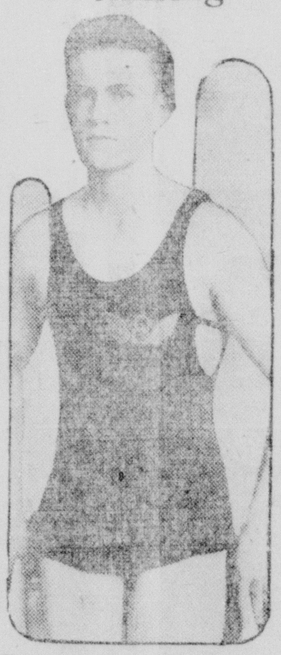
Washington, Dec. 2.—The tariff is a sleeping issue for the Congress which convenes next Monday—an issue which is liable to awake to its own importance under sufficient prodding from the independent group.

Republicans have served notice that they are generally satisfied with the present tariff law and that they will tolerate no tampering with it. But the Independent group and the Democrats in the House have set up a cry that links the tariff with farm relief and if no farm measure satisfactory to them is devised, they intend to batter at the tariff.

The Northwestern bloc, which includes the former LaFollette group has pledged itself to "give the farmer the same benefits the manufacturer enjoys under the tariff." It is their contention that the tariff helps buy prices of manufactured articles and that therefore some legislation should be enacted guaranteeing a fair price to the man in the fields.

Recognition of the tariff as an issue related to farm relief was given in an announcement today by the people's reconstruction league that a two day "institute on the tariff" will be held here December 28 and 29.

Promising



Three months ago Nelson Bockus, 16-year-old high school student of Berkeley, Calif., began swimming. Now he does the 50 yards in 26 1-5 and experts predict he'll be smashing world records in a year or two. He's certainly made rapid progress.

Read the Want Ads

Says Unsafe Planes Are Now Being Used

Washington, Dec. 2. (United Press)—Aviation equipment now used by the National Guard is obsolete and unsuitable and in a short time will be unfit for flying purposes, according to the annual report of Major-General C. C. Hammond, chief of the Militia Bureau of the Army, made public today.

Hammond declared that rapid deterioration in equipment and the decreasing stock of wartime Air Service equipment and supplies available for the National Guard makes it essential that funds be provided for the purchase of new airplanes.

Despite the lack of suitable equipment Hammond declared that inspections of the air units showed them to be excellently conducted and that the efficiency and high morale of the personnel was noteworthy.

Hammond points out that the suspension policy of the War Department has caused during the eight month period ending May 30, a decrease of personnel in the National Guard of nearly 13,000 men and that the present strength of the National Guard is 177,525 men.

A Dinner Given to Otis in Kansas City

The Phi Delta Phi, a law fraternity, gave a dinner last night at Kansas City in honor of Judge Merrill E. Otis of the United States district court. Forrest C. Donnell of St. Louis, a schoolmate of Judge Otis at the Maryville high school, and a former partner of the late Senator Selden P. Spencer, introduced Judge Otis. Judge Otis recalled his school days and spoke of the activities of the fraternity at that time. He expressed the hope that high traditions of the United States courtesy always would be upheld.

Estimates An Increase in 1926 Wheat Acreage

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 2.—An increase of a million and a half acres in the 1926 wheat crop over the previous year is estimated in the eleven wheat states of the Santa Fe Railroad territory, in a report issued today by J. F. Jarrell, head of the agricultural development department of the railroad. He estimates the acreage in Missouri for 1926 at two and a half million acres.

Serious illness and complications often follow an ordinary Cold. Check it; use the old Reliable, Safe and Proven Remedy, "Laxative BROMO QUININE." The First and Original Cold and Grip Tablet. Proven Safe for more than a Quarter of a Century.

The box bears this signature
E. W. Grove
Price 30c.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 9,000; market steady to 10c lower.
Top, $11; bulk, $10.75 to $10.90.

Cattle

Receipts 2,500; market steady to strong.
Bulk of steers $8 to $10.
Top, $10.75.
Cows and heifers, $3.50 to $9.25.
Calves, $5 to $11.50.
Stockers and feeders $5.25 to $8.25.

Sheep

Receipts 2,500; market strong to 25c higher.
Lambs, $14.75 to $16.50.
Ewes, $7 to $8.25.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK

Hogs

Receipts 3,500; market slow to steady.

Cattle

Receipts 18,000; market weak to 10c lower.

Sheep

Receipts 2,000; market steady.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 8,500; market steady to lower.
Bulk, $10.70 to $11.
Heavies, $10.65 to $11.
Butchers, $10.75 to $11.10.
Lights, $11.15 to $11.50.
Pigs, $11 to $11.60.

Cattle

Receipts 9,000; market steady.
Prime fed steers, $12 to $13.75.
Dressed beef steers, $7.25 to $12.
Western steers, $7 to $11.25.
Southern steers, $5.75 to $9.50.
Cows, $3.25 to $8.
Heifers, $5.50 to $11.25.
Stockers and feeders, $5.50 to $9.50.
Bulls, $3.75 to $4.50.
Calves, $5.50 to $10.

Sheep

Receipts 3,000; market stronger.
Spring lambs, $15.75 to $16.35.
Yearlings, $11.25 to $13.25.
Ewes, $4.75 to $8.50.
Wethers, $8.75 to $9.50.
Stockers and feeders, $14.75 to $15.40.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle

Receipts 7,600; market steady.

Hogs

Receipts 10,000; market 10c to 15c lower.

Sheep

Receipts 6,500; market strong to 25c higher.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 26,000; market 15c to 25c off.

Cattle

Receipts 9,000; market higher.

Sheep

Receipts 13,000; market slow to lower.

Chicago Grain Table

	open	high	low	close
WHEAT—				
Old				
May	$1.66½	$1.66¾	$1.64	$1.64¾
New				
May	$1.67¾	$1.69	$1.65¾	$1.66¾
July	$1.50	$1.50	$1.46½	$1.47
Old				
Dec.	$1.73	$1.73	$1.69¼	$1.69¾
New				
Dec.	$1.73¾	$1.75	$1.71½	$1.71⅞
CORN—				
May	$ .79¾	$ .82¾	$ .79½	$ .82⅛
July	$ .81½	$ .84¾	$ .81¼	$ .81⅝
Dec.	$ .74⅛	$ .77⅛	$ .73⅞	$ .76¼

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.75½ to $1.75⅝.
CORN—No. 3 yellow, 80½c; No. 3 mixed, 76c.
OATS—No. 2 white, 41½c to 42c; No. 3 white, 41¼c to 42c.
HAY—Timothy, $6.50 to $7.25; clover, $21 to $30.50.
BARLEY—64c to 74c.

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce.

WHEAT—Receipts 104 cars; hard 1c to 2c higher; red, 1c to 2c higher; No. 2 hard, $1.72 to $1.74½; No. 3 hard, $1.66 to $1.74; No. 2 red, $1.76 to $1.77, No. 3 red, $1.74 to $1.76.
CORN—Receipts 31 cars; market 1c to 2c higher; No. 2 mixed, 74c to 75c; No. 3 mixed, 71c to 73c; No. 2 yellow, 77c to 78c; No. 2 white, 78c to 80c.
OATS—Receipts 11 cars; market ½c higher; No. 2 red, 44c to to 46c; No. 2 white, 41c to 42c.
RYE—No. 2, 86c to 87c.
HAY—Prairie, choice, $12.50 to $13; timothy, No. 1, $18.50 to $19; alfalfa, choice, $22.50 to $25.
Eggs, 52c; seconds, 35c.
Butter, 50c; packing, 32c.
Hens, 21c; turkeys and young toms, 27c; broilers, 24c; ducks 16c; geese, 13c.

Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—Profit selling cut into wheat's sharp advance on the Chicago Board of Trade here today. From a sensational rise at the start, overloaded longs pressed prices to thin fractions of the previous finish.

Fluctuations in wheat were rapid. The undertone was erratic.

Public support was the best in a year.

Corn ran up cents and managed to hold the gains in later trading.

Oats received good attention.

Provisions eased off with hogs.

LOCAL MARKETS

Eggs, per lb	45c
Cream, per lb	42c
Heavy hens, per lb	18c
Light hens, per lb	12c
Springs, per lb	18c
Leghorn Springs, per lb	12c
Cocks, per lb	7c
Ducks, per lb.	12c
Geese, per lb.	12c
Hides, per lb	7c

Alaskan Railroad Is Still Showing Deficit

Washington, Dec. 2 (United Press)—The deficit of the Alaskan Railroad for the fiscal year 1925 was $1,246,674.52, a decrease of $489,991.89 under the previous year, according to the annual report of the General Manager, submitted to the Secretary of the Interior today.

"Total tons of freight handled by the railroad in 1925 were 53,865, a loss of 5,667 tons or 9.7 per cent, due to decreased shipments of ore," the report stated. "Freight revenues decreased $20,980 during the year. Total passengers carried amounted to 48,300 for the year, a decrease of 1,165 over the previous year.

"The decline in operating receipts was more than offset by reduced maintenance costs and general economies. A reduction of $447,403.16 was effected in the payroll of the road."

The report recommended completion of the road at an estimated cost of $11,878,781, pointing out that with the additional facilities, there would come a decreased cost in operation and maintenance. The report stated that the high cost of maintenance was caused in part by the hasty construction of the road and recommended more permanent structures.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cook and little sons of Kansas City returned home this morning after a week's visit with Mr. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cook, and Mrs. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Linville.

Read the Want Ads.

The Best Meats

---That Can Be Obtained

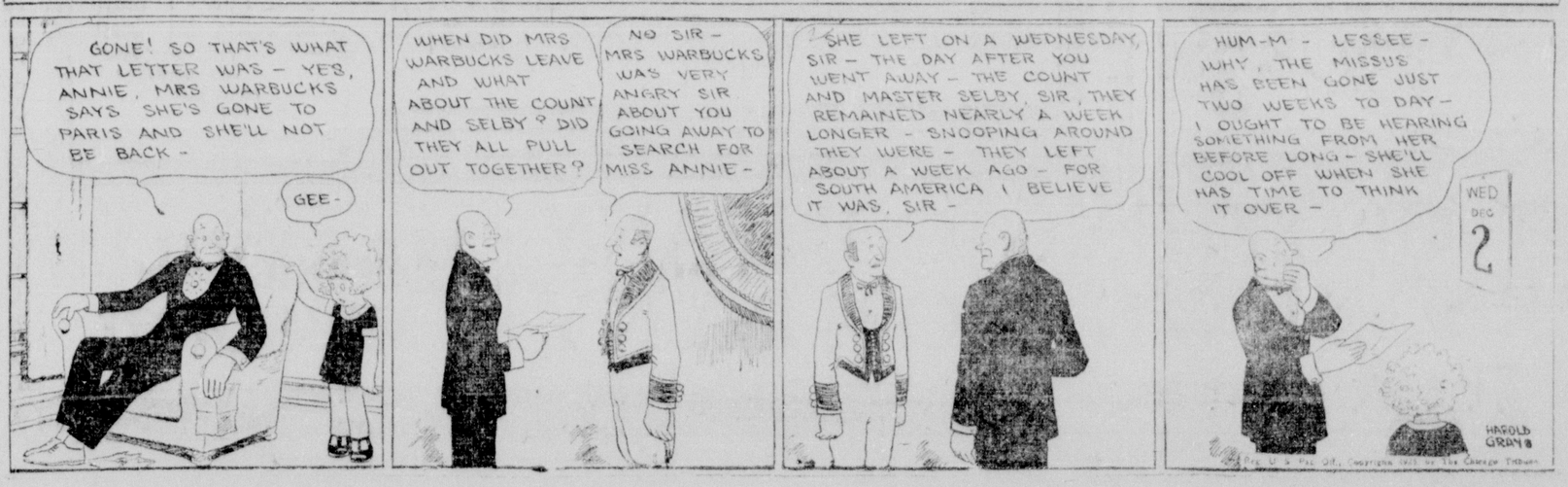
That is what we demand when we buy meats—so that is what you get when you buy from us—Service thrown in.

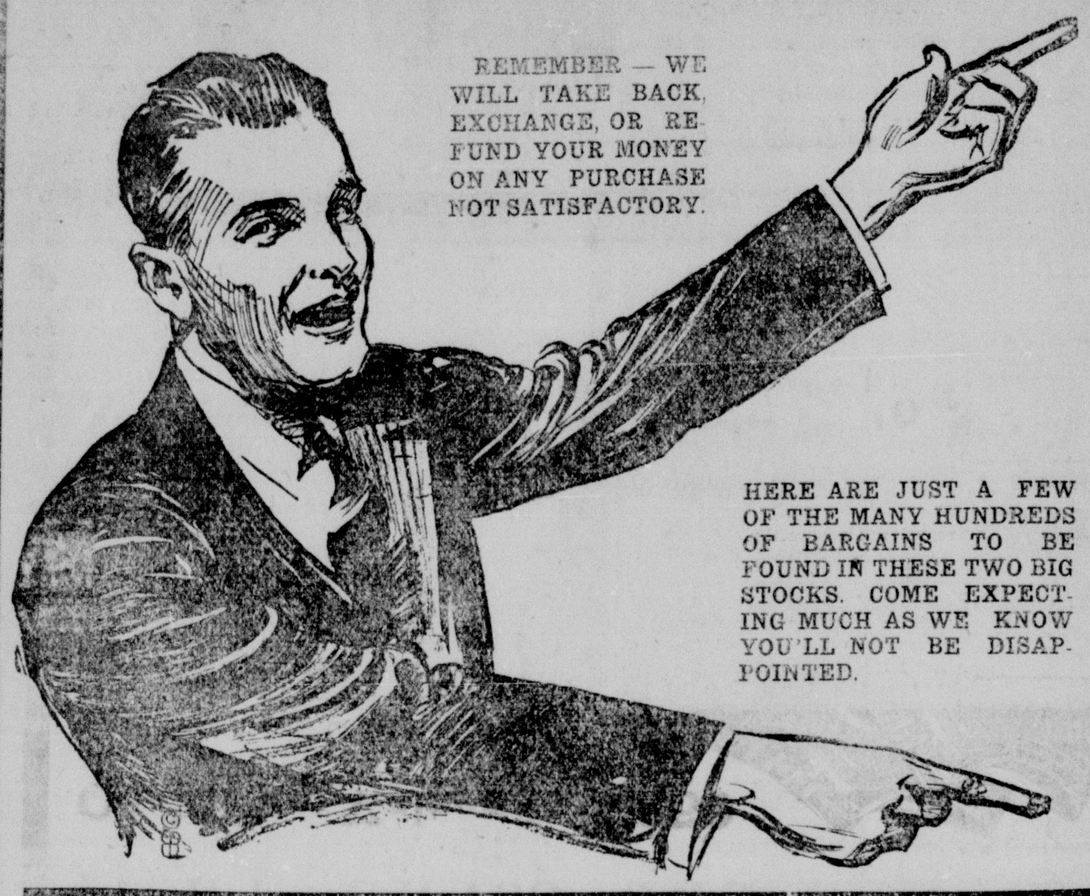
REIMER'S

MARKET AND DELICATESSEN.

Pure and Wholesome Milk from Tested Cows at, per quart 10c.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: The Dear Departed


GONE! SO THAT'S WHAT THAT LETTER WAS - YES, ANNIE, MRS WARBUCKS SAYS SHE'S GONE TO PARIS AND SHE'LL NOT BE BACK -
GEE -
WHEN DID MRS WARBUCKS LEAVE AND WHAT ABOUT THE COUNT AND SELBY? DID THEY ALL PULL OUT TOGETHER?
NO SIR - MRS WARBUCKS WAS VERY ANGRY SIR ABOUT YOU GOING AWAY TO SEARCH FOR MISS ANNIE -
SHE LEFT ON A WEDNESDAY, SIR - THE DAY AFTER YOU WENT AWAY - THE COUNT AND MASTER SELBY, SIR, THEY REMAINED NEARLY A WEEK LONGER - SNOOPING AROUND THEY WERE - THEY LEFT ABOUT A WEEK AGO - FOR SOUTH AMERICA I BELIEVE IT WAS, SIR -
HUM-M - LESSEE - WHY, THE MISSUS HAS BEEN GONE JUST TWO WEEKS TO DAY - I OUGHT TO BE HEARING SOMETHING FROM HER BEFORE LONG - SHE'LL COOL OFF WHEN SHE HAS TIME TO THINK IT OVER -
WED DEC 2
HAROLD GRAY'S



REMEMBER — WE WILL TAKE BACK, EXCHANGE, OR REFUND YOUR MONEY ON ANY PURCHASE NOT SATISFACTORY.

HERE ARE JUST A FEW OF THE MANY HUNDREDS OF BARGAINS TO BE FOUND IN THESE TWO BIG STOCKS. COME EXPECTING MUCH AS WE KNOW YOU'LL NOT BE DISAPPOINTED.

TOMORROW!

WILL BE ONE OF THE BIGGEST DAYS OF THIS GREAT SALE

You can't stop the babbling of the brook after it has developed into a torrent---You can't stop the news of this sale from spreading like wildfire---Because---

BROWN HAS PASSED ALONG THE WORD TO JONES; JONES HAS PASSED THE NEWS OF THIS SALE TO SMITH AND SMITH HAS TOLD HIS FRIENDS THAT THE MONTGOMERY SHOE CO. AND THE MONTGOMERY CLOTHING COMPANY ARE HAVING A REAL SALE — AND NOW WE'RE READY FOR THE BIGGEST DAY OF ALL, RESERVE STOCKS HAVE BEEN BROUGHT TO THE FRONT AND YOU WILL FIND PLENTY OF EXTRA SALESPEOPLE TO SERVE YOU.

DOORS OPEN 9 A. M. SHARP

Three Great Groups

Women's Pumps, Slippers and Oxfords

One Group Values to $6.00

Each and every pair in this lot has been selected from lines that formerly sold up to $6.00. Here you will find excellent styles in patents, satins, kid leathers in a variety of styles and sizes that will please you. Early shopping is counselled as these are bound to go fast at

$1.45

VALUES TO $7.50

Another great group of high grade footwear that has sold in a regular way up to $7.50. The styles are good in fact right up to the minute, all fashioned in Patents, Satins, Kid leathers in black and tan, one and two strap, plain and tie pumps

$2.45

VALUES TO $9.00

All the [illegible] that have been so popular with the fashionable dressed women, this season are included in this group of fine footwer. Patents, Satins, Kid leathers in a bewildering profusion of styles, sizes, and novelty lasts. All specially priced for the event at

$3.45

Women's Reg. $1.25
Silk Hose
Another outstanding feature of this sale. Good quality silk hose in all the popular colors. Now only **69c**

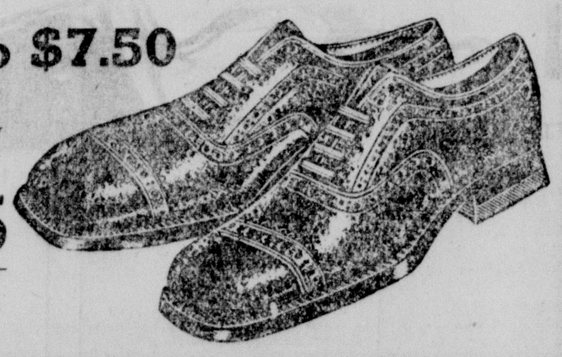
Men's Regular $2.50
Work Shoes
All leather outing bal shoes with rubber heels. Sizes 6 to 11. A real work shoe and a bargain. Now only **$1.69**

Women's Reg. $1.50
Felt Slippers
All Colors and sizes in these much wanted house slippers. Good quality felt. Now priced for this sale at **69c**

Here Are Some Real Values

Men's Shoes and Oxfords

One Group Values to $7.50



Men—You will find this by far the greatest opportunity to lay in a supply of footwear. Think of being able to buy fine high grade shoes and oxfords that sold in a regular way up to $7.50. This group is composed of one and two pairs of a kind but you are sure to find your size in either a Black or Brown Calf lace shoe or oxford. Now only

$1.85

Values to $6.00

Black and brown calf lace shoes and oxfords in a variety of styles that are positively correct in every detail as to styles, workmanship and quality. Here you will find fine black and brown calf shoes and oxfords made by the finest shoemakers in America. While they last

$2.85

Values to $7.50

This group comprises one of the finest assortments of men's black and brown calf lace shoes and oxfords that we have ever been able to put out at such a low price. Even a few pairs of excellent kid leathers are included. The styles are brand new and they'll go fast at

$3.85

Men's Regular $3.50
Shirts
Special Tomorrow

Here is a chance for every man in Maryville to stock up on shirts for months to come. Men's neckband shirts of fine woven madras and excellent broadcloths in a wonderful array of patterns. While we have 300 of these smart shirts to start with they will go fast. Special $3.50 values for only

$1.69

One Lot Men's $3.50
Flannel Shirts
All Wool Shirts in plain colors, plaids and stripes. One of the best flannel shirts we have ever been able to sell at such a low price. Now

$1.95

Values to $15.00—One Group
Boys' Knicker Suits
Mothers will appreciate this rare opportunity to outfit the boy with one and two pant knicker suits at such a low price. The materials are the best and go at

$3.45

Men's Regular $12.50
Leather Coats
27 inch Wool Lined Leather Coats in either horsehide or cowhide. These sell in a regular way at $12.50. Now only at

$9.85

Daring Reductions on OVERCOATS
Entire Stock Included

Men's and Young Men's
SUITS

Values to $32.50

Men: Here is a sale of suits you have been looking for—worsteds in blues, greys, greys, and overplaids, suitings in fancy cassimere in novelty stripes and mixtures. Values to $32.50, now only

$19.85

Values to $40.00

In this group of men's fine suits you will find Worsteds, and cheviots in fact all the popular suitings tailored by Hart Schaffner and Marx and other well known tailors. Values to $40.00, now only

$24.85

Values to $50.00 and $55.00

Here you will find suits only of the highest character, all new fall and winter styles in the box coat effects and wide bottom trousers, also a large variety for the more conservative dressers. Many Hart Schaffner and Marx Suits included in this group. Now

$33.85

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